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FOR

Social Worship:

ADAPTED TO THE USE OF FAMILIES AND PRIVATE CIRCLES
IN SEASONS OF REVIVALS,
TO MISSIONARY MEETINGS, TO THE MONTHLY CONCERT, AND TO
OTHER OCCASIONS OF SEECLAL INTEREST.

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PREFACE.

The chief design of this publication, is to present to the lovers of devotional song, a convenient manual for the use of families and social religious meetings. In the larger and more dignified assemblies, psalmody will continue to hold its appropriate place; but for social and private uses, something is needed which is more familiar, more chantant, and more easy of execution. The importance of such music has become too evident to escape the notice of intelligent Christians; and the demand for it, especially in seasons of revival, has of late been increasing.

It is to be lamented, however, that in meeting this demand, compilers have not more frequently had recourse to good music. Hitherto, the best compilers have done little more for this department, than to furnish occasional specimens among psalms and hymns of the ordinary character. These, though the number has been gradually increasing, have not been equal to the public demand. The consequence is, that a multitude of insipid, frivolous, vulgar, and profane melodies, have been forced into general circulation, to the great disparagement of the art,

as well as to the detriment of musical reform.

Such a result as this might, indeed, have been naturally anticipated, in times and circumstances like our own. Impenitent men, for example, who might be ignorant of the true principles of devotional music, would, immediately on their conversion, be found to exercise their religious feelings in such melodies as might then be at hand, whatever might be the character of those melodies, or however they might have been previously connected in the mind of others, with profane or impure associations. Almost any music which should be applied to solemn words, under such affecting circumstances, would, for a little time, be sung with delight by the young convert, and heard with interest by such Christians as had previously neglected the whole subject of devotional singing; and such, there is some reason to apprehend, is the majority of professors at the present day.

There is also, one fact in the history of psalmody, which has lent its influence to the result above mentioned. A number of

devotional tunes now contained in the best collections in Europe and America, are known to have had a secular origin. Music which is purely the language of emotion, it must be admitted, has sometimes been found susceptible of such changes. The same strains that in one age of the world could express the joys or the sorrows of earthly love, could in another age, when the circumstances of their origin had been forgotten, be made instrumental of kindling affections that are more pure and holy.

Examples of this nature, however, have been comparatively few among the successful cultivators of the art; and they have by no means been sufficiently numerous to constitute any thing like a general rule of adaptation. Such experiments have been generally unfortunate; and in later times, they have been liable to the most serious and weighty objections. Yet, if the lapse of three centuries has furnished among the innumerable abuses of the art, some fifteen or twenty specimens of a more favored character, it by no means follows, that in the present state of the churches, the same experiment may be safely repeated by every publisher who is unacquainted with music, directly in defiance of the fundamental principles of the art. But this very thing has been done, and the public have been extensively called upon, in these enlightened days of reform, to recognize in the current love songs, the vulgar melodies of the street, of the midnight reveller, of the circus and the ball room, the very strains which of all others, we are told, are the best adapted to call forth pure and holy emotions, in special seasons of revival! In some instances, too, tunes have come to us, not as old acquaintances partially recognized, but in all the freshness of their corruption, still reeking, as it were, with the impure associations which prevail in the haunts of moral pollution!

What was to be done in such circumstances as these? The established rules of musical adaptation, furnish the only remedy. These are found to correspond at once with the dictates of sound.

sense, and the history of past experience.

The first legitimate question on the choice of tunes for devotional purposes, is, whether at the time of selection, they possess intrinsically an appropriate character; and are thence adapted to call forth the right emotions.

Music, it should be remembered, is very variable in its character. What has been known to edify the people of one age

or nation, has often proved insipid to another.

Extraneous circumstances will also be found sometimes to give

temporary interest to a tune, which is insipid in itself; and where they do so, the tune will to some extent be used; but this is no reason why it should be held up to the public in general as a fair specimen of intrinsic excellence—the use of which would thus be sanctioned, and perpetuated. Such a course would have a tendency to bring the whole art of music into disrepute. To borrow an illustration from a sister art-some very good men, for example, will in their own devotions, prefer serious doggerels to the most simple, chaste, and impassioned specimens of lyric verse. Let them do so. This does not alter the nature of the doggerels, nor render it necessary to force them into more general circulation. The man that does this, ultimately inflicts an injury upon the best interests of literature and religion; and the same may be said of the publisher of music who pursues a corresponding course in his selection of tunes. These cases we consider as entirely parallel.

The second question on the selection of devotional tunes, is, whether the specimens before us, though intrinsically chaste melodies, and affective, may not, in the minds of a considerable portion of the community, be connected with profane associations. Where this is ascertained to be the fact, the tune should, for the present, at least, be cast aside as worse than useless. Give it a place among the more favored doggerels, where it may continue to be used in private, and eventually be sunk in

oblivion, or restored to public favor.

We are aware that the full importance of these fundamental principles of adaptation, will not be readily appreciated by those who habitually neglect the cultivation of the art; yet, they are principles that bear the impress, as we have said, of sound sense and universal experience; and principles that have a vital influence upon the permanent interests of devotional song.

Let the young convert, coming suddenly into a new world of light and love, express his bursting emotions in airs that are familiar to him, and let none rudely intermeddle with his joys. Let the simple-hearted Christian, who suddenly awakes, as by a second conversion to the glorious themes of the gospel, sing forth in private, in his family, and in the small praying circles, the fulness of his glad emotions in the rudest of strairs, when nothing more appropriate is at hand. In such cases, there is no time as yet, for special cultivation. And where only the lame, the blind, the halt, and the torn can be obtained for the sacrifice, the offering will perhaps be accepted,

and the exercise for a little time, will tend to edification. But to seize upon this circumstance for the purpose of forcing such unseemly melodies into general circulation, is just as preposterous as it would be to publish all the broken petitions of prayer, or the imperfect expressions of Christian experience that fall from the lips of the new-born soul. Such things are interesting in their place, because they show the undisguised sincerity of the person who utters them; but certainly, they are not on this account to be collected and published as suitable materials for a manual of devotion.

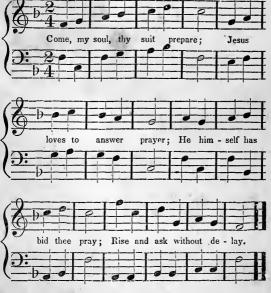
Such are the views entertained by the compilers of this volume. On the materials that are here presented, they have bestowed abundant labor. Their object has been uniformly to connect chaste simplicity with the fervor of devotion. Most of the tunes are chantant and familiar. Many of them have been composed expressly for this work. Not one of them it is believed, has been injured by unhallowed associations. words have been selected and arranged with care, through the kind assistance of several of the clergy; and not a few of the poetic specimens which are here presented, have been furnished by different hands, as original compositions. These and other favors will be more fully acknowledged, when all the materials shall have been prepared for the subsequent volumes. the work may prove extensively useful in elevating the standard of sacred music, and in enlivening the devotions of the pious, is the sincere and earnest prayer of the

COMPILERS.

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Spiritual Songs for Social Worship.

1. PREPARATION.



- 2 With my burden I begin:
 Lord remove this load of sin;
 Let thy blood for sinners spilt,
 Set my conscience free from guilt.
- 2 Lord, I come to thee for rest, Take possession of my breast: Thou thy sovereign right maintain, And without a rival reign.



2. Contrition.

- 4 O Thou, whose tender mercy hears
 Contrition's humble cry;
 Whose hand, indulgent, wipes the tears
 From sorrow's weeping eye;
- 2 See, low before thy throne of grace, A wretched wand'rer mourn; Hast thou not bid me seek thy face? Hast thou not said—" Return?"
- 3 And shall my guilty fears prevail To drive me from thy feet? O, let not this dear refuge fail, This only safe retreat!
- 4 Absent from thee, my guide, my light, Without one cheering ray; Thro' dangers, fears, and gloomy night, How desolate my way.
- 5 O, shine on this benighted heart, With beams of mercy shine! And let thy healing voice impart A taste of joys divine.

3. Penitence.

- 1 Prostrate, dear Jesua, at thy feet A guilty rebel lies; And upwards to the mercy-seat Presumes to lift his eyes.
- 2 O, let not justice frown me hence; Stay, stay the vengeful storm: Forbid it, that Omnipotence-Should crush a feeble worm.
- 3 If tears of sorrow would suffice To pay the debt I owe, Tears should from both my weeping eyes, In ceaseless currents flow.
- 4 But no auch sacrifice I plead
 To expiate my guilt;
 No tears, but those which thou hast shed;
 No blood but thou hast spilt.

4. Seeking after God.

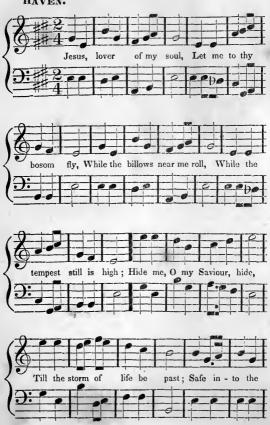
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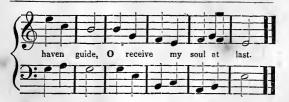
 1 O, that I knew the secret place,
 Where I might find my God;
 I'd spread my wants before his face,
 And pour my woes abroad,
- 2 1'd tell him how my sins arise, What sorrows 1 sustain: How grace decays, and comfort dies, And leave my heart in pain.
- 3 He knowa what arguments I'd take To wrestle with my God; I'd plead for his own mercy's sake, And for my Savjour's blood.
- 47My God will pity my complaints, And heal my broken bones; He takes the meaning of his saints, The language of their groans.
- 5 Arise, my soul, from deep distresa, And banish every fear; He calls thee to his throne of grace, To spread thy sorrows there.

5. A refuge from the storm.

- 1 Dear refuge of my weary soul,
 On thee, when sorrows rise,
 On thee, when waves of trouble roll,
 My fainting soul relies.
- 2 To thee I tell each rising grief, For thou alone canst heal; Thy word can bring a sweet relief For every pain I feel.
- 3 But O! when gloomy doubts prevail;
 I fear to call thee mine;
 The springs of comfort seem to fail,
 And all my hopes decline.
- 4 Yet, gracious God, where shall I fies! Thou art my only trust: And still my soul would cleave to thee Though prostrate in the dust.!







6. Looking to Jesus.

- l Jesus, lover of my soul,
 Let me to thy bosom fly,
 While the billows near me roll,
 While the tempessetill is high.
 Hide me, O, my Saviour, hide
 Till the storm of life be past;
 Safe into the haven guide,
 O receive my soul at last.
- 2 Other refuge have I none;
 Helpless hangs my soul on the;
 Leave, ah! leave me not alone;
 Still support and comfort me,
 All my trust on thee is stay'd;
 All my help from thee I bring;
 Cover my defenceless head
 With the shadow of thy wing.
- 3 Jesus, thou art all I want;
 Boundless love in thee I find!
 Raise the fallen, cheer the faint,
 Heal the sick, and lead the blind.
 Just and holy is thy name:
 I am all unrighteousness;
 Vile, aud full of sin I am;
 Thou art full of truth and grace.
- Flenteous grace with thee is found,
 Grace to pardon all my sin;
 Let the healing streams abound;
 Make and keep me pure within.
 Thou of life the fountain art;
 Freely let me take of thee;
 Spring thou up within my heart;
 Rise to all eternity.

7. Seeking for a blessing.

- I Son of God, thy blessing grant, Still supply my ev'ry want; Tree of life, thine influence give, Nourish me, and bid me live. Tend'rest branch, alas! am I; Without the I droop and die, Weak and helpless infancy; O confirm my soul in thee!
- 2 Unsustain'd by thee, I fall; Send the strength for which I call; Weaker than a bruised reed, Help I ev'ry moment need. All my hopes on thee depend; Love me, save me to the end! Give me thy sustaining grace, Take the everlasting praise.

8. Seeking for a blessing.

- 1 Lord, we come before thee now, At thy feet we humbly bow: * O, do not our suit disdain! Shall we seek thee, Lord, in vain? Lord, on thee our souls depend; In compassion now descend; Fill our hearts with thy rich grace, Tune our lips to sing thy praise.
- 2 In thise own appointed way, Now we seek thee, here we stay: Lord, we know not how to ge, Till a blessing thou bestow. Send some message from thy word, 'That may joy and peace afford; Let thy Spirit now impart Full salvation to each heart,





9. In Darkness.

- 1 Once I thought my mountain strong,
 Firmly fix'd, no more to move;
 Then my Saviour was my song,
 Then my soul was fill'd with love.
 These were happy, golden days,
 Sweetly spent in prayer and praise.
- 2 Little then myself I knew,
 Little thought of Satan's pow'r;
 Now I feel my sins renew,
 Now I feel the stormy hour!
 Sin has put my joys to flight;
 Sin has turn'd my day to night.
- 3 Saviour, ahine and cheer my soul, Bid my dying hopes revive: Make my wounded spirit whole; Far away the tempter drive; Speak the word and set me free, Lat me live alone to thee.

10. Psalm xliii.

- 1 Save me, Lord, in this distress; Clothe me in thy righteousness; Good and met ciful thou art; Bind this bleeding, broken heart: Cast me not despairing hence; Be my love, my confidence.
- 2 Send thy light and truth to guide; Leave me not to turn aside; On thy holy hill 1'll rest, In thy courts for ever blest: There to God, my hope, my joy, Praise shall all my powers employ.

11. Adoption.

- I Blessed are the sons of God;
 They are hought with Jesus' blood;
 They are ransom'd from the grave;
 Life eternal they shall have.
 With them number'd may we be,
 Here, and in eternity.
- 2 They are justifi'd by grace; They enjoy the Saviour's peace;

- All their sine are wash'd away: They shall stand in God's great day. With them number'd may we be, Here, and in eternity.
- 3 They produce the fruits of grace; In the works of righteousness; They are harmless, meek, and mild, Holy, humble, undefil'd. With them number'd may we be, Here, and in eteroity.
- 4 They are lights upon the earth, Children of a heav'nly birth; One with God, with Jesus one; Glory with them is begun. With them number'd nay we be, Here, and in eternity.

12. Luke ii.

- 1 Glory be to God on high,
 God, whose glory fills the sky;
 Peace on earth to man forgiv'n,
 Man, the worm, is lov'd of heav'n.
 Glory be to God on high,
 God, whose glory fills the sky.
- 2 Christ, th' incarnate God, we own'; Christ, the well-beloved Son; Lamb of God, for sinners slain; Saviour of offending man. Glory be to God on high. God, whose glory fills the sky.

13. Doxology.

- f Father, Son, and Holy Gheat,
 One in three, and three in one,
 As by the celestial host,
 Let thy will on earth be done.
 Praise by all to thee be given,
 Glorious Lord of earth and heav'n.
- 2 If so poor a worm as I

 May to thy great glory live,
 All my actions sanctify,
 All my words and thoughts receive;
 Claim me for thy service—claim
 All I have, and all I am.





14. Submission.

- I Alas! and did my Saviour bleed,
 And did my Sov'reign die?
 Did he devote that sacred head
 For such a worm as I?
 Well might the sun in darkness hide,
 And shut his glyriesio,
 When Loues the Rede men died
 - When Jesus, the Redeemer, died For man, the creature's sin.
- 2 Thus might I hide my blushing face,
 While his dear cross appears;
 Dissolve my heart in thankfulness,
 And melt my eyes to tears.
 But tears, alas, can ne'er repay
 The debt of love I owe;
 Here, Lord, I give myself away,
 'Tis all that I can do.

15. Going to Jesus.

- 1 Come, trembling sinner, in whose breast A thousand thoughts revolve; Come, with your guilt and fear oppress'd, And make this last resolve;
 - "1'll go to Jesus, though my sin Hath like a mountain rose;
 - I know his courts, I'll enter in, Whatever may oppose.
- 2 "Prostrate I'll lie before his throne; And there my guilt confess;
- I'll tellhim I'm a wretch undone— Without his sovereign grace. Perhaps he will admit my plea, Perhaps he'll hear my prayer;
 - Perhaps he'll hear my pray But if I perish, I will pray, And parish only there."

- 16. And yet there is room.
- 1 Ye wretched, hungry starving poor, Behold a royal feast!
 - Where mercy spreads her bounteous store For every humble guest.
 - See, Jesus stands with open arms; He calls, he bids you come;
 - Guilt holds you hack, and fear alarms,
- But see, there yet is room.

 2 Room in the Saviour's bleeding heart:
- There love and pity meet;
 - Nor will he bid the soul depart, That trembles at his feet.
- In him the Father, reconcil'd,
- Invites your souls to come;
- The rebel shall be call'd a child,
 And kindly we!com'd home.

17. Crucifixion.

- 1 Behold the Saviour of mankind, Nail'd to the shameful tree!
- How vast the love that him inclin'd To bleed and die for me!
- Hark! how he groans, while nature shakes And earth's strong pillars bend;
- The temple's veil in sunder breaks,
 The solid marbles repd.
- 2 'Tis done I the precious ransom's paid, Receive my soul, he cries;
- See, where he bows his sacred head,
- But soon o'er hell he reigns again
- In majesty divine;
 O Lamb of God, was ever pain,
- Was ever love like thine !





2 Has thy night been long and mournful,
Have thy friends unfaithful prov'd?
Have thy foes been proud and scornful,
By thy sighs and tears unmov'd?
Cease thy mourning,
Zion still is well belov'd.

[3 Thy own God will soon restore thee,
He himself appears thy friend;
All thy foes shall flee before thee,
Here their boasts and triumphs end,
Great deliv*rance
Zion*s King will surely send.

Spread of the Gospel.

1 Now we hail the happy dawning Of the Gospel's glorious light, May it take the wings of morning, And dispel the shades of night : Blessed Saviour,

Let our eyes behold the sight.

- 2 Where, amid the desert dreary, Plant, nor shrub, nor flowret grows, There refresh the wand'rer weary, With the sight of Sharon's Rose, And its beauties
- 13 Where the beasts of prey are prowling, And the murd'rous serpent's hiss. There exchange the dismal howling For the pleasing calm of peace; And for ever May destruction's empire cease.
- 4 O, let all the world adore thee-Universal be thy fame : Kings and subjects fall before thee. And extol thy matchless name; All ascribing Endless praises to the Lamb.



The name of Jesus.

- I How sweet the name of Jesus sounds In a believer's ear ; It soothes his sorrows heals his wounds. And drives sway I is fear.
- 2 It makes the wounded spirit whole, And calms the troubled breast : 'Tis manna to the hungry soul, And to the weary-rest.
- 14 Weak is the effort of my heart. And cold my warmest thought : But when I see thee as thou art, I'll praise thee as I ought.
- 4 Till then, I would thy love proclaim With every fleeting breath : And may the music of thy name Refresh my soul in death.





21. The Saviour's Invitation.

- 1 The Saviour calls—let ev'ry ear
 Attend the heav'nly sound:
 Ye doubting souls, dismiss your fear,
 Hope smiller reviving round.
 For ev'ry thirsty, longing heart,
 Here streams of bounty flow,
 And life, and health, and hi
- 2 Ye sinners, come, 'tis mercy's voice,
 The gracious call obey;
 Mercy invites to heav'nly joys—
 And can you yet delay?
 Dear Saviour, draw reluctant hearts;
 To thee let sinners fly,
 And take the bliss thy love imparts.

And drink and never die.

To banish mortal woe.

22. Isaiah lv. 1, 2.

- 1 Let ev'ry mortal ear attend,
 And ev'ry heart rejoice:
 The trumpet of the gospel sounds
 With an inviting voice.
 Ho! all ye bungry, starving souls,
 Who feed upon the wind,
 And vainly strive, with earthly toys,
 To fill a vacant mind:
- 2 Eternal Wisdom has prepar'd
 A soul-reviving feast;
 And bids your longing appetites
 The rich provision taste.
 Ho! ye who pant for living streams,
 And pine away and die;
- And pine away and die;

 Here you may quench your raging thirst
 With springs that never dry.

23. Praise.

The God of mercy be ador'd,
Who calls our souls from death,
Who saves by his redeeming word,
And new creating breath.
To praise the Father, and the Son,
And Spirit all divine,
The One in Three and Three in One,
Let saints and ancels join.

24. Goodness of God.

- I Ye humble souls, approach your God,
 With songs of sacred praise,
 For he is good, immensely good,
 And kind are all his ways.
 All nature owns his guardian care,
 In him we live and move;
 But uobler benefits declars
 The wonders of his love.
- 2 He gave his Son, his only Son,
 To ransom rebel worms;
 'Tis here he makes his goodness known
 In its diviner forms.
 To this dear refuge, Lord, we come,
 'Tis here our hope relies;
 A safe defence, a peaceful home,
 When storms of trouble raise
- 3 Thine eye beholds with kind regard,
 The souls that trust in thee;
 Their humble hope thou wilt reward
 With bliss divinely free.
 Great God, to thy Almighty love,
 What honors shall we raise?
 Not all the raptur'd songa above,
 Can render equal praise.

25. Reconciliation.

- I Dearest of all the names above,
 My Jesus and my God,
 Who can resist thy heav'nly love,
 Or trifle with thy blood?
 'Tis by the merits of thy death
 The Father smiles again;
 'Tis by thine interceding breath
 The Spirit dwells with men.
 - 2 Till God in human flesh I see,
 My thoughts no comfort find;
 The holy, just, and sacred Three
 Are terrors to my mind.
 But, if Immanuel's face appear,
 My hope, my joy begins;
 His name forbids my slavish fear:
 His grace removes my sine,





26. Messiah.

- 1 Hail! thou once despised Jesus,
 Hail, thou bleeding, conq'ring King;
 Who did'st suffer to release us,
 Who did'st free salvation bring.
 Hail! thou glorious God and Saviour,
 Thou hast borne our sin and shame;
 Through thy merit we find favor,
 Life is given through thy name.
- 2 Jesas, hail! enthron'd in glory, There for ever to abide; All the heav'nly hosts adore thee, Seated at thy Father's side. There for sinners thou art pleading; "Spare them yet another year:" There for saints art interceding, Till in glory they appear.

27. Sitting at Jesus' feet.

- Sweet the moments sich in blessing,
 Which before the cross I spend;
 Life, and health, and peace possessing,
 From the sinner's dying Friend,
 Love and grief my heart dividing,
 With my tears his feet Fil bathe;
 Still in faith and hope abiding,
 Life derwing from his death,
- 2 O, how blessed is the station I
 Low before the cross I'll lie,
 While I see divine compassion
 Pleading in the Victim's eye;
 Here I'll sit, for ever viewing
 Morcy streaming in his blood;
 Precious drops, my soul bedewing;
 Plead and claim my peace with God.

28. Aspiring to Immortality.

- I in this world of sin and sorrow,
 Compass'd round with every care:
 From eternity we borrow
 Hope that can exclude despair.
 Thee, triumphant God and Saviour,
 In the glass of faith we see!
 O assist each faint endeavor,
 Raise our earth-born souls to thee.
- 2 Place that awful scene before us,
 Of the last tremendous day,
 When to light thou wilt restore us;
 Ling'ring ages haate away!
 Then this vile and sinful nature
 Incorruption shall put on!
 Life-renewing, glorious Saviour!
 Let thy gracious will be done!

29. Pilgrimage.

- I Gently, Lord, O gently lead us,
 Through this lonely vale of tears;
 Through the changes thou's depreed us
 Till our leat great change appears.
 When temptation's darts assail us;
 When in devious paths we stray,
 Let thy goodness never fail us;
 Lead us in thy perfect way.
- 2 In the hour of pain and anguish,
 In the hour when death draws near
 Suffer not our hearts to languish,
 Suffer not our souls to fear.
 And when mortal life is suded,
 Bid us in thine arms to rest,
 Till, by angel bands attended,
 We awake among the blest.







30. Looking to Jesus.

- 1 O my soul, what means this sadness?

 Wherefore art thou thus cast down?
 Let thy grief be turn'd to gladness;
 Bid thy restless fear begone:
 Look to Jesus, a
 And rejoice in his dear name.
- 2 Though ten thousand ills beset thee;
 Though thy heart is stain'd with sin:
 Jesus lives: he'll ne'er, forget thee;
 He will make thee pure within.
 He is faithful
 To perform his precious word.

31. Redeeming Love.

Come, thou fount of every blessing,
Tune my heart to grateful lays;
Streams of mercy never ceasing,
Call for songs of loudest praise.
Streams of mercy, &c.
Call for songs of loudest praise.

2 Teach me some melodious messure,
Sung by raptur'd saints above;
Fill my soul with sacred pleasure,
While I sing redeeming love.
While I sing redeeming love.

3 Jesus sought me, when a stranger,
Wand'ring from the fold of God;
He, to save my soul from danger,
Offer'd his most precious blood.
'He, to save, &c.
Offer'd his most precious blood.

32. Dismission.

I' Lord, dismiss us with thy blessing;
Fill our hearts with joy and peace;
Let us each, thy lore possessing,
Triumph in redeeming grace;
O, refresh us!
Trav'ling through this wilderness.

2 Thanks we give, and adoration,
For the Gospel's joyful sound;
May the fruits of thy salvation
In our hearts and lives abound:
May thy presence
With us evermore be found.

33. Redeeming Love.

I Hail, the ever blessed Jesus,
Thy redeeming love I sing;
To my soul thy name is precious;
Thou, my Prophet, Priest, and King.
O, how precious,
Thou, my Prophet, Priest, and King.

2 Once with Adam's race in ruin,
Unconcern'd, in sin I lay;
Swift destruction still pursuing,
Till my Saviour pass'd that way.
Still pursuing,
Till my Saviour pass'd that way.

3 Witness all ye hosts of heav'n,
My Redeemer'a tenderness!
Love I much 2 Ab, much forgiv'n,
I'm a mirrcle of grace.
Much forgiv'n,
I'm a miracle of grace.





2 They have gone to the land where the Gospel's glad sound, Sweetly tun'd by the angels above,

Was re echo'd on earth, through the regions around,

In the accents of heavenly love:

Where the Spirit descended, in tokens of flame, The rich gifts of his grace to reveal:

Where apostles wrought signs in Immanuel's name, The truth of their mission to seal.

3 They have gone—the glad heralds of mercy have gone To the land where the martyrs once bled:

Where the "Beast and False Prophet" have since trodden down The fair fabric that Zion had laid:

Where the churches once planted, and water'd, and blest With the dews which the Spirit distill'd,

Have been smitten, despoil'd, and by heathen possess'd;
And the places that knew them, defil'd.

4 They have gone—O, thou Shepherd of Israel—have gone
The glad mission in love to restore:

Thou wilt not forsake them, nor leave them alone;

Thy blessing we humbly implore.

Thy blessing go with them-O, be thou their shield From the shafts of the fowler that fly;

O, Saviour of sinners, thine arm be reveal'd

In mercy, in might, from on high.





- 2 Yes, thy sins have done the deed, Driv'n the nails that fix'd him there; Crown'd with thorns bis sacred head, Plung'd into his side the spear; Made his soul a sacrifice, While for sinful man he dies.
- 3 Wilt thou let him bleed in vain?;
 Still to death thy Lord pursue?
 Open all his wounds again?
 And the shameful cross renew?
 No! with all my sina I'll part:
 Break, O break my bleeding heart.



- 2 E'er since by faith I saw the stream, Thy flowing wounds supply; Redeeming love has been my theme: And shall be—till I die.
- 3 Then, in a nobler, sweeter song
 I'll sing thy pow'r to save:
 When my poor lisping, stam'ring tongu:
 Lies silent in the grave.





37. "Come unto me."

1 Come, let us draw near, The Saviour to hear,

As he speaks in the accents of love;
"He that cometh to me,
Shall from sin be set free,

And be welcom'd to mansions above.

2 "Who in me confide, Shall safely outride All the tempests that lower beneath; With the ramsom'd shall soar To eternity's shore.

To eternity's shore, And outfly all the arrows of death.

3 "Through me they shall come
To their permanent home,
The fruition of heaven to prove:
By love they shall rise
And look down on the skies,
For the heaven of heavens is love."

38. First Love.

1 How happy are they
Who the Saviour obey,
And have laid up their treasures above;
O, what tongue can express
The sweet comfort and peace
Of a soul in its earliest love.

2 Tis heaven below,
My Redeemer to know:
And the angels could do nothing more
Than to fall at his feet,
And the story repeat,
And the lover of sinners adore.

3 Yes, all the day long
Is my Jesus my song,
And redemption through faith in his name;
O, that all might believe,
And salvation receive,
And their song and their joy be the same.

39. Dying Love.

1 Our voices we raise,
The Saviour to praise,
For the love that constrain'd him to die:
Let us Joyfolly sing
The once crucified King,
Now risen, exalted on high.

2 'Twas for rebels in sin
That Jesus was slain;
'Twas for rebels he hung on the tree,
And languish'd and bled,
And dwelt with the dead,
That they from the curse might be free.

3 Yet the grave had no pow'r In that gloomy hour; The victim it could not retain: Triumphant he rose, Despoiling his foes, Ascending in heaven to reign.

4 Thy name be ador'd,
O Jehovah, our Lord!
For the love that coastrain'd thee to die:
For ever we'll sing
Our crucified King,
Now'risen, exalted on high.





40. Mourning Penitents.

- 1 Drooping souls, no longer mourn,
 Jesus still is precious:
 If to him you now return,
 Heav'n will be propitious.
 Jesus now is passing by,
 Calling wand'rers near him:
 Drooping souls, you need not die;
 Go to him and hear him.
- 2 He has pardons, full and free,
 Droopiog souls to gladdee;
 Still he cries, "Come unto me,
 Weary, heavy laden."
 Though your sins like mountains high
 Rise and reach to heaven;
 Soon as you on him rely,
 All shall be forgiven.
- 3 Precious is the Saviour's name,
 Dear to all that love him:
 He to save the dying came:
 Go to him and prove him.
 Wand'ring sinners, now return:
 Contrite souls, believe him!
 Jesus calls you; cease to mourn:
 Worship him; receive him.

41. Conviction of Sin.

Dying souls, fast bound in sin,
 Trembling and repining,—
 With no ray of light divine
 On your pathway shining,
 Why in darkness wander on,
 Fill'd with condemnation?

- Jesus lives: in Him alone Can you find salvation.
- 2 Worthless all your righteousness:
 You the law have broken:
 Flee you then to sovereign grace!
 Mercy thus hath spokeu.
 Why in deeds that you have done
 Seek for consolation?
 Jesus lives: in Him alone
 Can you find salvation.
- 3 Guilty, helpless, and distress'd, Ruin'd and despairing,— Toiling for deceiful rest,— Rebel, heaven-daring! Prostrate bow before the throne; Take the lowest station; Jesus lives: in Him alone Can you find salvation.
- 4 Prostrate bow; confess your guilt; Own your lost condition; Yield to Him whose blood was spilt, Unreserv'd submission. Then on more in anguish groan: See his mediation! Jesus lives: in Him alone Can you find salvation.
- 5 Linger not in all the plain;
 Vengeance is pursuing:
 Mid the dying and the slain,
 Sare your souls from ruin.
 Flee to Him who can atone;
 Flee from condemnation!
 Jesus lives: in Him alone
 Can you find salvation.



42. Mercy Seat.

- I Jesus, our Prince and Saviour,
 May sinners sick and poor,
 Through thy atoning favor,
 Approach to mercy's door!
 And find an open passage
 Up to the throne of grace;
 There wait thy welcome message
 That bilds us go in peace.
- 2 Lord, we are helpless creatures,
 Full of the deepest need;
 Defil'd in moral features;
 By nature wholly dead;
 Our strength is perfect weakness,
 And we are prone to ain;
 Wanting in faith and meckness,
 And love and peace within.
 - 3 In this forlorn condition,
 Who shall afford us aid?
 Where shall we find compassion
 But in the church's Head?
 Jesus, thou bleeding Saviour!
 Restore us to thy love!
 O, let thy blessed favor
 No more from us remove.
 - 4 We'll never cease repeating
 Our numberless complaints;
 But ever be entreating
 The glorious King of saints,
 Till we attain the image
 Of him who bids us love,
 And pay our grateful homage
 With all the saints above.

43. The Sun of Righteousness.

4 Sometimes a light surprises
The Christian while he sings:
The Lord of Life arises
And his salvation brings.
While comforts are declining,
He sees us in distress—
Then heals us by his shining,
The Sun of Righteousness.

- 2 In holy contemplation, We sweetly then pursue The theme of God's salvation, And find it ever new: Then freed from care and sorrow, We cheerfully can say, Let the miknown to-morrow Bring hither what it may.
- 3 His presence fills the vallies;
 And crowns the lofty hills;
 He clothes the feeble lilies,
 And waters them with rills:
 Beneath the spreading heavens,
 No creature but is fed;
 And he who feeds the raveos
 Will give his children bread.
- I Though vine nor fig tree either Its fruit or leaves should bear; Though all the fields should wither, Nor flocks nor herds be there; Yet God, the same abiding, His praise shall tune my voice: For while in him confiding, I cannot but rebice.

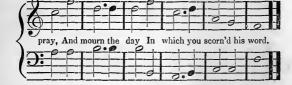
44. The Great Physician.

- I How lost was my condition,
 Till Jesus made me whole I
 There is but one Physician
 Can save a roin'd soul!
 Nigh unto death he found me,
 And snatch'd me from the grr ve,
 To show to all around me
 His wood'rous pow'r o save.
- 2 A dying, risen Jesus,
 Seen by the eye of faith,
 At once from danger frees us,
 And saves the soul from death.
 Then come to this Physician,
 For life he'll freely give;
 He makes no hard condition:
 This only—look, and live!

45. CONVINCED OF SIN.







While converts sing,
 And bless their King,
 And praise th' incarnate Word—
 O now submit
 At Jesus' feet,
 And own the sovereign Lord.

9 Now is the time
To come to him,
Who died that you might live:

Resist no more
The Spirit's pow'r;
No more yourselves deceive.

4 O, sovereign Lord,
Now speak the word,
And pierce each stubborn soul:
Yet as they bleed
Let love succeed,
And make the wounded whole.

46. Redeeming Grace.

- I Ancient of Days!
 Thy name we praise,
 And glory give to thee!
 That dying men,
 Redeem'd from sin,
 May thy salvation see.
- 2 We raise the song
 With joyful tongue
 To him that once was slain;
 Low with the dead
 He bow'd his head,
 But soon'reviv'd again.
- 3 Ascending high
 No more to die,
 See the triumphant Lord!
 O how divine
 Illis glories shine,
 By,heav'n, and earth ador'd.
- 4 Immanuel!
 Our bosom fill
 With the seraphic fire;
 That we may join
 In themes divine
 That wake th' angelic choir.
- 5 Now to the Lamb
 That once was slain,
 Be wisdom, glory, pow'r,
 And blessing giv'n
 By earth and heav'n,
- While all their hosts adore, 6 Ancient of Days t Thy glories blaze Amid th' enraptur'd throng; From this glad hour For evermore, We join the deathless song.

47. Prayer for the Convicted.

1 O, God of grace
And righteousness,
Now lend the list ning ear,:
To thee on high
Thy children cry,
O, Jesus! deign to hear.

- 2 These rebels slain,
 May live again,
 If they believe on thee:
 O, make them bow
 To Jesus now,
 And thy salvation see.
- 3 Thy cause we plead, For thou didst bleed To rescue souls from death; "Father, forgive, "And bid them live," Was e'en thy dying breath.
- 4 Thy purchase claim,
 O bleeding Lamb!
 Thou ris'n, exalted Lord!
 These rebels, then
 Renouncing sin,
 Shall own th' incarnate Word;

48. Prospect of Heaven.

There remaineth therefore a rest. Heb. 4. 9.

1 While here I sit
AJ Issus' feet
Amid the vale of tears;
1'll trust'his grace,
And sing his praise,

Nor yield to doubts and fears.

- 2 And can it be
 That I shall see
 My Saviour face to face?
 For ever prove
 His boundless love
- 3 The thought shall still
 My musing fill,
 By cares and sorrows prest;
 The blessed hope
 Shall bear me up—
 The hope of endless rest.

And endless anthems raise?

4 When God appears
To wipe the tears
From ev'ry pilgrim's eye,
What tongue can tell
The joys they'll feel
Throughout eternity.





49. Light in Darkness.

- 1 Light of those whose dreary dwelling
 Borders on the shades of death,
 Come, and by thy love revealing,
 Dissipate the clouds beneath:
 The new heav'n and earth's Creator
 In our deepest darkness rise,
 Scatt'ring all the night of nature,
 Pouring eyesight on our eyes.
- 2 Still we wait for thine appearing;
 Life and joy thy beams impart,
 Chasing all our fears, and cheering
 Evry poor, benighted heart.
 Come and manifest thy favor
 To the ransom'd, helpless race;
 Come, thou glorious God and Saviour!
 Come, and bring the Gospel grace.
- 3 Save us in thy great compassion,
 O, thou mild, pacific Prince!
 Give the knowledge of salvation,
 Give the pardon of our sins;
 By thine all-restoring merit
 Ev'ry burden'd soul release;
 Ev'ry weary, wand'ring spirit
 Guide into thy perfect peace.

50. Love Divine.

I Love divine, all love excelling,
Joy of heav'n to earth come down!
Fix in us thy homble dwelling;
All thy faithful mercies crown;
Jesus, thou art all compossion,
Pure, unbounded love thou art.
Vieit us with thy salvation,
Enter ev'ry trembling heart.

- 2 Breathe, O breathe thy loving Spirit Into ev'ry troubled breast; Let us all thy grace inherit, Let us find thy promis'd rest; Take away the love of sinning, Take our load of guilt away: End the work of thy beginning, Bring us to eternal day.
- 3 Carry on thy new creation,
 Fure and holy may we be;
 Let us see our whole salvation
 Perfectly secur'd by Thee:
 Change from glory into glory,
 Till in heav'n we take our place;
 Till we cast our crowns before Thee,
 Lost in wonder, love, and praise.

51. Zion.

- 1 Glorious things of thee are spoken,
 Zion, city of our God;
 He, whose word cannot be broken,
 Form'd thee for his own abode.
 On the Rock of Ages founded—
 What can shake thy sure repose?
 With salvation's walls surrounded,
 Thou may'st smile at all thy foes.
- 2 See the streams of living waters, Springing from eternal love, To supply thy sons and aughters, And the fear of want remove. Who can faint while such a river Ever flows, thy thirst t' assuage

Ever flows, thy thirst t' assuage?
Grace, which, like the Lord, the giver,
Never fails from age to age.





52. Believer's Joy.

1 Come, ye that love the Lord,
And let your joys be known;
Join in a song of sweet accord,
And thus surround the throne.
Let those refuse to sing
Who never knew our God;
But children of the heav'nly King
Should speak their joys abroad.

2 The hill of Zion yields
A thousand sacred sweets,
Defore we reach the heav'nly hills,
Or walk the golden streets.
Then let our songs abound,
And ev'ry tear be dry;
To fairer worlds on high.

53 Rejoicing in God's ways.

1 Now let our voices Join
To form a sacred song;
Ye pilgrims, in Jehovah's ways
With music pass along.
See flowers of paradise
Iu rich profusion spring:
The Sun of glory gilds the path,
And dear companions sing.
2 See Salem's golden spires

In beauteous prospect rise;

And brighter crowns than mortals wear,
Which sparkle through the skies.
All honor to his name,
Who marks the shining way;
To him who leads the wand rers on
To realms of endless day.

54. Pleasures of Social Worship.

1 How charming is the place,
Where my Redeemer, God,
Unveils the beauties of his face,
And sheds his love abroad 1
Here on the mercy seat,
With radiant glory crown'd,
Our joyful eyes behold him sit,
And smile on all around.

2 To him their prayers and cries
Each humble soul presents:
He listens to their humble sighs,
And grants them all their wants.
Give me, O Lord, a place
Within thy blest abode,
Among the children of thy grace,
The servants of my God.

55. Praise to God.

1 O, bless the Lord, my soult
Let all within me join,
And aid my tongue to bless his name
Whose mercies are divine:
'Tis he forgives thy sins;
'Tis he relieves thy pain;
'Tis he that heals thy sicknesses,
And makes thee young again.
2 He crowns thy life with love,
When ransom'd from the grave:
Heast redsem'd my soul from hell

He that redeem'd my soul from hell Hath sovereign pow'rto save. He fills the poor with good, He gives the suff 'rers rest: The Lord hath judgments for the proud, And justice for th' opprest.







2 Say, have you an arm like God, That you his will oppose? Fear you not that iron rod With which he breaks his foes?

3 Can you stand in that dread day Which his justice shall proclaim; When the earth shall melt away Like wax before the flame?



- 2 Joy of the comfortless, light of the straying, Hope of the penitent, fadeless and pure; Here speaks the Comforter in mercy saying— Earth has no sorrows that Heav'n cannot cure.
- 3 Here see the Bread of Life; see waters flowing Forth from the throne of God, pure from above: Come to the feast prepar'd—come, ever knowing, Earth has no sorrows but Heav'n can remove.

Arranged as a Solo and Duet. This arrangement is intended for families, and for small praying circles: but is not suitable for choirs, where there is, in gueral, more talent, and better advantages for execution. Small notes sum in repeating.







59. Missionary Hymn.

- I From Greenland's icy mountains, From India's coral strand, Where Afric's souny fountains Roll down their golden sand; From many an ancient river, From many a palmy plain, They call us to deliver Their land from error's chain.
- 2 What though the spicy breezes
 Blow soft o'er Java's isle,
 Though ev'ry prospect pleases,
 And only man is vile:
 In vain with lavish kindness
 The gitts of God are strewn,
 The heathen, in his blindness,
 Bows down to wood and stone!
- 3 Can we, whose souls are lighted With wisdom from on high, Can we, to men benighted, The lamp of life deny? Salvation! O Salvation! The joyful sound proclaim, Till each remotest nation Has learn'd Messiah's name!
- 4 Waft, waft ye winds, his story, And you ye waters roll, Till, like a sea of glory, It spreads from pole to pole: Till o'er our ransom'd nature, The Lamb for sinners slain, Redeemer, King, Creator, In bliss returns to reign!

60. Psalm lxxii.

- I Hail to the Lord's annointed!
 Great David's greater Son;
 Hail in the time appointed,
 His reign on earth begun!
 He comes to break oppression,
 To set the captive free;
 To take away transgression,
 Aud rule in equity.
- 2 He comes, with succor speedy,
 To those who suffer wrong;
 To help the poor and needy,
 And bid the weak be strong;
 To give them songs for sighing,
 Their darkness turn to light,
 Whose souls, condemn'd and dying,
 Were precious in his sight.
- 3 He shall come down like showers Upon the fruitful earth, And love, and Joy, like flowers, Spring in his path to birth: Effore him, on the mountains, Shall peace the herald go, And righteousness in fountains From hi'll to valley flow.
- 4 For Him shall prayer unceasing, And daily vows ascend; His kingdom still increasing, A kingdom without end: The tide of time shall never His covenant remove; His name shall stand for ever; That name to us is—Love.







61. They that sow in tears, shall reap in joy.

- 1 There is an hour of hallowed peace. For those with cares opprest, [cease, Where sighs and sorrowing tears shall 3 O. could we make our doubts remove, And all be hush'd to rest : 'Tis then the soul is freed from fears, And doubts that here annoy : Then they that oft had sown in tears,
- 2 There is a home of sweet repose, Where storms assail no more, The stream of endless pleasure flows On that celestial shore: There purity with love appears, And bliss without alloy; There, they that oft had sown in tears, Shall reap eternal joy.

Shall reap again in joy.

62. Prospect of Heaven.

- I There is a land of pure delight, Where saints immortal reign. Infinite day excludes the night, And pleasures banish pain. There everlasting spring abides. And never-withering flowers: Death, like a narrow sea, divides This heavenly land from ours.
- 2 Sweet fields beyond the swelling flood Stand dress'd in living green : So to the Jews old Canaan stood. While Jordan roll'd between.

But timorous mortals start and shrink To cross this narrow sea, And linger, shivering on the brink, And fear to launch away.

These gloomy doubts that rise, And see the Canaan that we love, With unbeclouded eyes ! Could we but climb where Moses stood, And view the landscape o'er, Not Jordan's stream, nor death's cold flood, Should fright us from the shore.

63. Happy in Death.

Jesus! the vision of thy face, Hath overnowering charms! Scarce shall I feel death's cold embrace, If Christ be in my arms. Then, while ye hear my heart-strings break, How sweet my minutes roll ! A mortal paleness on my check, And glory in my soul

64. Doxology.

The God of mercy be ador'd Who calls our souls from death, Who saves by his redeeming word, And new creating breath. To praise the Father, and the Son, And Spirit all divine, The One in Three, and Three in One, Let caints and angels join.



65. General Praise.

- 1 Begin, my soul, th' exalted lay, Let each enraptur'd thought obey, And praise th' Almighty name: Lo1 heav'n and earth and seas and skies, In one melodious concert rise, To swell th' inspiring theme.
- 2 Thou heav'n of heavens, his vast abode-Ye clouds, proclaim your maker God; Ye thunders speak his power: Lo! on the lightning's fiery wing, In triumph walks th' eternal King: Th' astonish'd words adore.
- 3 Ye deeps with roaring billows rise,
 To join the thunders of the skies,
 Praise him who bids you roll:
 His praise in softer notes declare,
 Each whisp'riog breeze of yielding air,
 And breathe it to the soul.
- Wake, all ye soaring throng and sing;
 Ye feather'd warblers of the spring,
 Harmonious anthems raise
 To Him who shaped your finer mould,
 Who tipt your glittering wings with gold,
 And tun'd your voice to praise.
- 5 Let man, by nobler passions sway'd, Let man, in God's own image made, His breath in praise employ: Spread wide his Maker's name around, Till heav'n shall echo back the sound, In songs of holy joy.

68. C'ais ia: Enjoyment.

How happy shall thy children be, Whose souls, O Lord, are drawn to thee, Away from earthly care: Between the mount and multitude, Their days are spent in doing good; Their nights in praise and prayer.

2 They feel no melancholy void;
No moment largers unemployed,
While trav'ling here below;
Their weariness of life is gone,
Who live to serve the Lord alone,
And only thee to know.

- 3 The winter's night, and summer's day Glide imperceptibly way, Too short to sing thy praise: Too few, they find the happy hours; And long to join the heav'nly powers In their exalted lays.
- 4 With all who chant thy name on high,
 And holy, boly, holy I cry,
 A bright, harmonious throng,
 They long thy praises to repeat,
 Joyful to sing around thy seat,
 The new sternal son,

67. Praise to the Redeemer.

- 1 O, could I speak the matchless worth, O, could I sound the glories forth, That io my Savlour sline; I'd soar and touch the heav'nly strings, And vie with Gabriel while he sings, In notes that are divine.
- 2 I'd sing the characters he bears, And all the forms of love he wears, Exalted on his throne: In loftiest songs of sweetest praise, I would, to everlasting days, Make all his glories known.
- 3 Soon the delightful day will come,
 When my dear Lord will bring me home,
 And I shall see his face:
 Then with my Saviour, brother, friend,
 A biess'd eternity I'll spend,
 Triumphantin his grace.

68. Foretaste of Heaven.

- I On Fisgah's top I now would stand, Once more to view the promis'd land, The land of thy abode; The land where fruits immortal grow, Where rivers of salvation flow Forth from the throne of God.
- 2 O, that my sool were fill'd with thee; With visions of thy majesty And condescending love! Then would its gilded pinions, Lord, Be ready at the Master's word, To take its flight above.



69. Heavenly Riches.

I Ah, tell me no more,

· Of the worldling's vain store,

The time for such trifles with me now is o'er !

2 A country l've found

Where true riches abound,

And songs of salvation for ever resound.

3. The souls that believe,

And pardon receive,

Are thitherward traviling for ever to live.

4 Then let us not stray In the tempter's dark way; But follow our Saviour to regions of day.

70. Blessings of the Gospel.

1 O Jesus, our Lord,

Thy name be ador'd, [word. For all the rich blessings convey'd thro' thy 2 In spirit we trace

The wonders of grace;
And joyful unite in a concert of praise.

3 Thrice happy are they,

Who hear and obey, And share in the blessings of this gospel day.

4 This blessing is mine Thro' favor divine,

But O, my Redeemer, the glory be thine.

5 The trumpet of God Is sounding abroad,

In language of mercy, thro' Jesus the Lord.

6 The Ancient of Days,
His glory displays,
And shines on his chosen with cherishing rays.

7 Ye singers draw nigh!

For all the rich blessings convey'd thro' thy Despise not the riches of glory on high.

71. RETURN, O WAND'RER.







- 2 Return, O, wand'rer, now return, Thy Saviour bids thee live; Go to his feet, and grateful learn How freely he'll forgive.
- 3 Return, O, wand'rer now return; And wipe the falling tear; Thy Father calls; no longer mourn; 'Tis love invites thee near.



72. Vigilance.

- My soul be on thy guard,
 Ten thousand foes arise:
 The hosts of sin are pressing hard,
 To draw thee from the skies.
- 2 O, watch, and fight and pray, The battle ne'er give o'er:

Renew it boldly, day by day, And help Divine implore.

3Ne'er think the vic'try won,
Nor lay thy armour down;
Thy ard'ous work will ne'er be done,
Till thou obtain thy crown.

73. Conflict.

- I Give to the winds thy fears; Hope, and be undismay'd; God hears thy sighs, and counts thy tears; He shall lift up thy head.
 - 2 Thro' waves, and clouds, and storms, The Lord shall clear thy way; Wait thou on him, and soon thy night Shall end in joyous day.

74. Missionaries.

- 1 Ye messengers of Christ, His sovereign voice obey; Arise and follow where he leads, And peace attend your way.
- 2 The Master whom you serve, Will needful aid bestow; Depending on his promises, With sacred courage go.
- 3 Go, spread the Saviour's fame;
 Go, tell his matchless grace;
 Proclaim salvation full and free
 To Adam's ruin'd race.
- 4 Mountains shall sink to plains,
 And hills in vallies rise;
 The cause is God's, and shall prevail
 Though hosts against him rise.

75. Praise.

- I Almighty maker, God!

 How wond'rous is thy name!

 Thy glories, how diffus'd abroad

 Through all creation's frame!
- 2 Nature in ev'ry dress
 Her humble homage pays;
 And does a thousand ways express
 Her undissembled praise.
- 3 My soul would rise and sing,
 Her great Creator too;
 Fain would my tongue adore her king,
 And pay the homage due.

76. James iv. 13, 14.

- I The present moment flies,
 And bears our life away;
 O, make thy servants truly wise,
 That they may live to-day.
- 2 Since on this winged hour Eternity is hung, Waken, by thy almighty power, The aged and the young.
- 3 One thing demands our care— O, be it still pursu'd— Lest, slighted once, the season fair Should never be renew'd.
- 4 To Jesus may we fly,
 Swift as the morning light,
 Lest life's young golden beam should die
 In sudden, endless night.

77. The Saviour's Mission.

- Raisc your triumphant songs,
 To an immortal tune;
 Let the wide earth resound the deeds
 Celestial grace has done.
- 2 Sing how eternal love
 Its chief beloved chose,
 And bade him raise our wretched race
 From their abyss of woes.
- 3 His hand no thunder bears;
 No terror clothes his brow;
 No bolts to drive our guilty souls
 To fiercer flames below.
- 4 'Twas mercy fill'd the throne, And wrath stood silent by, When Christ was sent with pardon down To rebels doom'd to die.
- 5 Ye sinners, dry your tears, Let hopeless sorrow cease; Bow to the scepare of his love, And take the offer'd peace.



78. Pilgrim's Hymu.

- 1 Children of the heavenly King, As ye journey, sweetly sing; Sing your Saviour's worthy praise, Glorious in his works and ways.
- 2 Ye are trav'ling home to God, In the way the fathers trod; They are happy now, and ye Soon their happiness shall see.
- 3 Shout ye little flock and blest, You near Jesus' throne shall rest; There your seats are now prepar'd, There your kingdom and reward.
- 4 Fear not, brethren; joyful stand On the borders of your land! Jesus Christ, your Father's Son, Bids you, undismay'd, go ou!
- 5 Lord, obediently we'll go, Gladly leaving all below; Only thou our leader be, And we still will follow thee.

79. Redeeming Love.

- 1 Now hegin the heav'nly theme; Sing aloud in Jesus' name; Ye, who Jesus' kindness prove, Triumph in redeeming love.
- 2 Ye, who see the Father's grace, Beaming in the Saviour's face, As to Canaan on ye move, Praise and bless redeeming love.
- 3. Mourning souls, dry up your tears, Banish all your guilty fears; See your guilt and curse remove, Cancell'd by redeeming love.
- 4 Ye, alas! who long have been Willing slaves of death and sin! Now from bliss no longer rove; Turn, and taste redeeming love.

- 5 Welcome, all by sin opprest—
 Welcome to his sacred rest:
 Nothing brought him from above,
 Nothing—but redeeming love.
- 6 Hither, then, your music bring, Strike aloud each joyful string; Mortals join the hosts above— Join to praise redeeming love.

80. Ruth i. 16-19.

- I People of the living God!
 I have sought the world around,
 Paths of sin and sorrow trod,
 Peace and comfort nowhere found:
- 2 Now to you my spirit turns, Turns—a fugitive unblest; Brethren! where your altar burns, O, receive me into rest.
- 3 Lonely, I no longer roam

 Like the cloud, the wind, the wave:

 Where you dwell shall be my home,

 Where you die shall be my grave.
- 4 Mine the God whom you adore— Your Redeemer shall be mine; Earth can fill my soul no more; Every idol I resign!

81. Self Consecration.

- 1 Dust and ashes though we be, Full of guilt and misery; Thine we are, thou Son of God! Take the purchase of thy blood.
- 2 Boundless wisdom, pow'r divine, Love unspeakable, are thine! Praise by all to thee be giv'n, By the sons of earth and heav'n!

82. Doxology.

Sing we to our God above, Praise eternal as his love: Praise him all ye heavenly host, Father, Son, and Holy Ghost.





83. Weeping over departed saints. | 2 Forbid it, Lord, that I should boast,

- I The God of love will sure indulge
 The flowing tear, the heaving sigh;
 When his own children fall around,
 When tender friends and kindred die.
- 2 Yet not one anxious murm'ring tho't, Should with our moving passions blend; Nor should our bleeding hearts forget Th' Almighty, ever-living friend.
- 3 Our father, God, to thee we look,
 Our rock, our portion, and our all;
 Fix'd on thy cov'nant, love, and truth,
 Our sinking souls shall never fall.

84. John vi. 67-69.

- 1 Thou only Sovereign of my heart, My Refuge, my almighty Friend— And can my soul from thee depart, On whom alone my hopes depend!
- 2 Whither, ah! whither shall I go, A wretched wanderer from my Lord! Can this dark world of sin and wo One glimpse of happiness afford?
- 3 Eterna! life thy words impart; On these my fainting spirit lives; Here sweeter comfort cheers my heart Than all the round of nature gives.
- 4 Let earth's alluring joys combine; While thou art near, in vain they call; One smile, one blissful smile of thine, My dearest Lord, outweighs them all.
- 5 Low at thy feet my soul would lie; Here safety dwells, and peace divine; Still let me live beneath thine eye, For life, eternal life, is thine.

85. The bleeding Cross.

1 When I survey the wondrous cross On which the Prince of glory died; My richest gain I count but loss, And pour contempt on all my pride.

- 2 Forbid it, Lord, that I should boast, Save in the cross of Christ my God; All the vain things that charm me most, I sacrifice them to his blood.
- 3 See from his head, his hands, his feet, Sorrow and love flow mingled down! Did e'er such love and sorrow meet, Or thorns compose so rich a crown?
- 4 Were the whole realm of nature mine, That were an off ring far too small; Love so amazing, so divine, Demands my soul, my life, my all.

86. Physician of Souls.

- 1 Deep are the wounds which sin has made; Where shall the sinner find a cure? In vain, alas, is nature's aid— The work exceeds her utmost pow'r.
- 2 And can no sov'reign balm be found? And is no kind physician nigh, To ease the pain and heal the wound, Ere life and hope for ever fly?
- 3 There is a great Physician near; Look up, O fainting soul, and live; See, in his heav'nly smiles appear Such ease as nature cannot give!

87. Invitation to Sinners.

- 1 Come, weary souls, with sin distrest, Come, and accept the promis'd rest; The Saviour's gracious call obey, And cast your gloomy fears away.
- 2 Oppress'd with guilt, a painful load, O, come, and spread your woes abroad; Divine compassion, mighty love, Will all the painful load remove.
- 3 Here mercy's boundless ocean flows,
 To cleanse your guilt and heal your woes;
 Pardon, and life, and endless peace;
 How rich the gift, how free the grace !





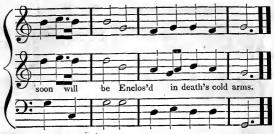
88. Star of the East.

- 1 Brightness of glory, thou God of the morning, Dawn on our darkness, and lend us thine aid ! Shine, like the star, the horizon adorning; Guide where the infant Redeemer is laid.
- 2 Cold on his cradle the dew-drops are shining; Low lies his head with the beasts of the stall; Sages adore him in slumbers reclining: Maker, and Monarch, and Saviour of all.
- 3 Say, shall they yield him in costly devotion, Odors of Edom and off'rings divine? Gems of the mountain, and pearls of the ocean, Myrrh from the forest, or gold from the mine?
- 4 Vainly they offer each ample oblation, Vainly with gifts would his favor secure, Richer, by far, is the heart's adoration; Dearer to God are the pray'rs of the poor.

89. Zion Triumphant.

- ? Daughter of Zion, awake from thy sadness, 'Wake! for thy foes shall oppress thee no more; Bright o'er the hills, dawns the day-star of gladness, 'Rise! for the night of thy sorrows is o'er.
- 2 Strong were thy foes; but the arm that subdu'd them, And scatter'd their legions, was mightier far; They fied, like the chaff, from the scourge that pursu'd them; Vain were their steeds, and their charlots of war.
- S Daughter of Zion, the Pow'r that hath sav'd thee, Extoll'd with the harp and the timbrel should be; Shout! for the foe is destroy'd that enslav'd thee, Th' oppressor is vanquish'd, and Zion is free.





90. Flight of Time.

- I Time is winging us away
 To our eternal home;
 Life is but a winter's day,
 A journey to the tomb.
 Youth and vigor soon will flee,
 Blooming beauty lose its charms:
 All that's mortal soon will be
 Euclos'd in death's cold arms.
- 2 Time is winging us away
 To our eternal home;
 Life is but a winter's day,
 A journey to the tomb.
 But the Christian shall enjoy
 Health and beauty soon above,
 Far beyond the world's alloy,
 Secure in Jesus' love,

91. Christ and him Crucified.

- I Vain, delusive world, adieu,
 With all of creature good;
 Only Jesus I pursue,
 Who bought me, with his blood.
 All thy pleasures I forego;
 All thy wealth and all thy pride,
 Only Jesus will I know,
 And Jesus crucified.
- 2 Turning to my rest again,
 The Saviour I adore;
 He relieves my grief and pain.
 And bids me weep no more.

Rivers of salvation flow
From his head, his hands, his side:
Only Jesus will I know,
And Jesus crucified.

3 Him to know is life and peace,
And pleasure without end;
This is all my happiness,
On Jesus to depend—
Daily in his grace to grow,
In his favor to abide:
Only Jesus will I know,
And Jesus crucified.

92. Remember Calvary.

- 1 Lamb of God whose bleeding love
 We now recall to mind;
 Send the answer from above,
 and let us mercy find;
 Think on us who think on thee;
 Ev'ry burden'd soul release:
 O, remember Calvary;
 And bid us go in peace.
 - 2 Through thy blood, by faith applied,
 Let sinners pardon feel;
 Speak us freely justified,
 And all our sickness heal;
 By thy passion on the tree,
 Let our griefs and troubles cease;
 O remember Calvary,
 And bid us go in peace.





- 93, "He beheld the city and wept over it." Lake xix. 41, 42.
 - 1 Jerusalem, Jerusalem! enthroned once on high, Thou favor'd home of God on earth; thou heav'n below the sky! Now brought to bondage with thy sons, a blighting curse to see; Jerusalem, Jerusalem! our tears shall flow for thee!
 - 2 O, hadst thou known thy day of grace; and flock'd beneath the wing OH Him who call'd thee lovingly, thine own ancioted king; Then had the tribes of all the earth gone up thy bliss to see; And glory dwelt within thy gates; and all thy sons been free.
 - 3 Thy day of grace is sunk in night; thy time of mercy spent; For heavy was thy children's crime, and sore their punishment! O! might that day again return, and gild thy desert clime; Then wouldst thou seek thy Saviour's face, in that accepted time.
 - 4 Jerusalem, Jerusalem! the promised hour draws nigh, When all thy woes shall have an end, in joy and victory! Soon shall thy darkness dissipate; thy Saviour thou shalt see; Glory shall dwell within thy gates, and all thy soos be free.

94. The Heavenly City.

- t Jerusalem, my happy home! name ever dear to me! When shall my labors have an end, in joy and peace in thee? When shall these eyes thy heav'n built walls, and pearly gates behold? Thy bulwarks with salvation strong; and streets with shining gold.
- 2 O, wheu, thou city of my God! shall I thy courts ascend, Where congregations ne'er break up, and Sabbaths never end? Why should I shrink at pain and woe; or feel at death dismay? Jerusalem I soon shall view, in realms of endless fay.

Apostles, martyrs, prophets, there around my Saviour stand, And soon my friends in Christ below, will join the glorious hands, Jerusalem, my happy home! my soul still pants for thee; There shall my labors have an end when thy joys shall see,



- 2 'Tis when heyond' this vale of tears, A sainted spirit wings its way: And pure before the thrrone appears, In robes of bright, ethereal day.
- 3 Hark! the glad shout of sacred joy, In choral numbers, loud and long: Th' angelic host their harps employ; And hallelujah's swell the song.



96. Triumphant Death.

- 1 Sweet is the scene where Christians die, Where holy souls retire to rest: How mildly beams the closing eye! How gently heaves th' expiring breast!
- 2 So fades a summer cloud away; So sinks the gale when storms are o'er; So gently shuts the eye of day; So dies a wave along the shore.
- 8 Triumphant smiles the victor's brow,
 Fann'd by some guardian angel's wing:
 O grave! where is thy vict'ry now,
 And where, O death, where is thy sting.

97. Reign of Christ on Earth.

- 1 Jesus shall reign where'er the sun Does his successive journies run: His kingdom stretch from shore to shore, 'Till moons shall wax and wane no more.
- 2 Blessings abound where'er he reigns: The pris'ner leaps to loose his chains; The weary find eternal rest; And all the sons of want are blest.
- 3 Let every creature rise, and bring Peculiar honors to our King: Angels descend with songs again, And earth repeat the loud Amen.



98. Job xxix. 2.

- I Sweet was the time when first I felt The Saviour's pard'ning blood Appli'd to cleanse my soul from guilt, And bring me home to God,
- 2 Soon as the morn the light reveal'd. His praises tun'd my tongue; And when the evening shade prevail'd, His love was all my song.
- 3 In pray'r my soul drew near the Lord, And saw his glory shine ; And when I read his holy word I call'd each promise mine.
- 4 But now, when evening shade prevails, My soul in darkness mourns; And when the morn the light reveals, No light to me returns.
- 5 Rise Lord, and help me to prevail, And make my soul thy care; I know that mercy cannot fail; Let me that mercy share.

99. Meditation.

- 1 While thee I seek, protecting Power! Pe my vain wishes still'd : And may this consecrated hour With better hopes be fill'd.
- 2 Thy love the pow'r of thought hestow'd, To thee my thoughts would soar : Thy mercy o'er my life has flow'd : That mercy I adore.
- 3 In each event of life, how clear Thy ruling hand I see! Each blessing to my soul most dear, Because conferr'd by thee.
- In every joy that crowns my days, In every pain I bear, My heart shall find delight in praise. Or seek relief in prayer.

- 5 When gladness wings my favor'd hour, Thy love my thoughts shall fill: Resign'd, when storms of sorrow low'r, My soul shall meet thy will.
- 6 My lifted eye, without a tear, The gath'ring storm shall see: My steadfast heart shall know no fear; That heart will rest on thee.

100. Devotional Retreat.

- 1 Far from the world, O Lord, I flee, From strife and tumult far ; From scenes where Satan wages still His most successful war.
- 2 The calm retreat, the silent shade, With pray'r and praise agree: And seem by thy sweet bounty made, For those who follow thee.
- 3 Then if thy Spirit touch the soul, And grace her mean abode, O, with what peace, and joy, and love, She there communes with God!
- 4 There, like the nightingale, she pours Her solitary lays; Nor asks a witness of her song, Nor thirsts for human praise.

101. The Request.

- 1 Father, what'er of earthly bliss Thy sov'reign will denies, Accepted at thy throne of grace, Let this petition rise :-
- 2 " Give me a calm, a thankful heart, From ev'ry murmur free; The blessings of thy grace impart, And make me live to thee.
- 3 "Let the sweet hope that I am thine, My life and death attend; Thy presence thro' my journey shine,
 - And crown my journey's end."

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102. Triumphs of the Gospel.

- 1 O, Zion, tune thy voice,
 And raise thy hands on high:
 Tell all the world thy joys,
 And shout salvation nigh;
 Cheerful in God
 Arise and shine,
 While rays divine
 Stream all abroad.
- 2 He gilds thy mourning face
 With beams which cannot fade;
 His all-resplendent grace
 He pours around thy head:
 The nations round
 Thy form shall view,
 With lustre new
 Divinely crown'd.
- 3 In honor to his name,
 Reflect that sacred light,
 And loud that grace proclaim
 Which makes thy darkness bright:
 Pursue his ptaise
 Till sovereign love
 In worlds above
 Thy glory raise.

103. Resurrection of Christ.

- 1 Yes, the Redeemer rose;
 The Saviour left the dead;
 And o'er our hellish foes
 High rais'd his conquering head:
 In wild dismay
 The guards around
 Fall to the ground,
 And sink away.
- 2 Lo! the angelic bands In full assembly meet, To wait his high commands, And worship at his feet: Joyful they come, And wing their way From realms of day To Jesus' tomb.

- 3 Then back to heaven they fly
 The joyful news to bear:
 Hark! as they soar on high,
 What music fills the air!
 Their anthems say,
 "Jesus, who bled,
 Hath left the dead,
 He rose to-day,"?
- 4 Ye murtals, catch the sound, Redeem'd by him from hell; And send the echo round The globe on which you dwell; Transported cry, "Jesus, who bled, Hath left the dead,

No more to die."

5 All hail, triumphant Loid,
Who sav'st us with thy blood!
Wide be thy name ador'd,
Thou rising, reigning God!
With thee we rise,
With thee we reign,
And empires gain
Devond the skies.

104. 2 Corinthians ii. 15, 16.

- 1 Praise to the Lord on high,
 Who spreads his triumphs wide !
 While Jesus' fragrant name
 Is breath'd on every side:
 Balmy and rich
 The odors rise,
 And fill the earth,
 And reach the skies.
- 2 Ten thousand dying souls
 Its influence feel—and live;
 Sweeter than vital air
 The incense they receive:
 They breathe anew,
 And rise and sing
 Jesus, the Lord,
 Their congulating King.



105. Ingratitude Lamented.

- 1 Is this the kind return; Are these the thanks we owe; Thus to abuse Eternal Love, Whence all our blessings flow?
- 2 To what a stubborn frame

 Has sin reduc'd our mind!

 What strange, rebellious wretches we,

 And God as strangely kind!
- 3 Turn, turn us, mighty God,
 And mould our souls afiesh! [stone,
 Break, Sovereign Grace, these hearts of
 And give us hearts of flesh!
- 4 Let past ingratitude
 Provoke our weepingeyes,
 And hourly, as new mercies full,
 Let hourly thanks arise.

106. Weeping Penitence.

- I Did Christ o'er sinners weep; And shall our tears be dry? Let floods of penitential gricf Burst forth from ev'ry eye.
- 2 The Son of God in tears,
 The wond'ring angels see!
 Be thou astonish'd, O my soul!
 He shed those tears for thee!

107. Rest for the Weary.

- O, where shall rest be found,
 Rest for the weary soul!
 Twere vain the ocean's depths to sound,
 Or pierce to either pole.
- 2 The world can never give The bliss for which we sigh; 'Tis not the whole of life to live, Nor all of death to die.
- 3 Beyond this vale of tears
 There is a life above,
 Unmeasur'd by the flight of years—
 And all that life is love.

108. Christ our Light.

- I How heavy is the night
 That hangs upon our eyes,
 'Till Christ with his reviving light
 Over our souls arise!
- 2 Our guilty spirits dread
 To meet the wrath of heaven;
 But, in his righteousness array'd,
 We see our sins forgiven.
- '3 Unholy and impure
 Are all our thoughts and ways;
 liis hands infected nature cure
 With sanctifying grace.
- 4 The powers of hell agree
 To hold our souls in vain;
 He sets the sons of bondage free,
 And breaks the cursed chain.

5 Lord, we adore thy ways, To bring us near to God, Thy sovereign power, thy healing grace, And thy atoning blood.

109. A coming Judgment.

- 1 How will my heart endure The terrors of that day, When earth and heav'n, before the Judge Astonish'd shrink away!
- 2 But ere that trumpet shakes
 The mansions of the dead,
 Hark! from the gospel's cheering sound,
 What joyful tidings spread!
 - 3 Ye sinners, seek his grace, Whose wrath ye cannot bear; Fly to the shelter of his cross, And find salvation there.
 - 4 So shall that curse remove, By which the Saviour bled; And the last awful day shall pour His blessings on your head.

110. Importunity.

- 1 Jesus, who knows full well
 The heart of ev'ry saint,
 Invites us all our griefs to tell,
 To pray and never faint.
- 2 He bows his gracious ear— We never plead in vain; Then let us wait till he appear, And pray, and pray again.
- 3 Jesus, the Lord, will hear His chosen when they cry; Yes, though he may a while forbear, He'll help them from on high.
- 4 Then let us earnest cry,
 And never faint in pray'r:
 Hs sees, he hears, and from on high
 Will make our cause his care.



111. "Watchman! what of the night?"

- I Watchman! tell us of the night,
 What its signs of promise are!
 Trav'ller! o'er yon mountain's height,
 See that glory beaming star!
 Watchman! does its beautcous ray
 Aught of hope or joy foretell?
 Trav'ller! yes; it brings the day,
 Promis' day of Israel.
- 2 Watchman! tell us of the night; Higher yet that star ascends: Trav'ller! blessedness and light, Peace and truth its course portends!
- Watchman! will its beams alone Gild the spot that gave them birth? Trav'ller! ages are its own, See! it bursts o'er all the earth.
- 3 Watchman! tell us of the night,
 For the morning seems to dawn:
 Trav'ller! darkness takes its flight,
 Doubt and terror are withdrawn!
 Watchman! let thy wand'ring cease;
 Hie thee to thy quict home:
 Trav'ller! lo! the Prince of Pence;
 Lo! the Son of God is come!















112. The Promises.

- I How firm a foundation, ye saints of the Lord, Is laid for your faith in his excellent word:
- What more could his mercy and goodness have said, To those who for refuge to Jesus have fled?
- 2 Fear not, he is with thee, O, be not dismay'd: For he is thy God, and will give thee his aid: He'd strengthen thee, help thee, and cause three to stand, Upheld by his gracious, omnipotent hand.
- 3 When thro' the deep waters he calls thee to go, The rivers of sorrow shall ne'er overdow; His presence shall guide thee, his mercy shall bless. And sanctify to thee thy deepest distress.
- 4 When thro' fiery trials thy pathway is laid, His grace all-sufficient shall lend thee its aid; The flame shall not hurt thee; He does but design Thy dross to consume, and thy gold to refine.
- 5 His people, through life, shall abundantly prove His sovereign, eternal, unchangeable love: And when age with gray hairs shall their temples adorn. Like lambs they shall still in his bosom be borne.
- 6 The soul on his bosom that leans for repose, Is safe from th' assaults of its bitterest foes: That soul—tho' all Hell should in tumult awake, He'll never—no never—no never forsake.





113. Dying Saint.

- I Happy soul, thy days are ending,
 All thy mourning days below;
 Go, by angel guards attending;
 To the sight of Jesus, go.
 Waiting to receive thy spirit,
 See, the Saviour stands above;
 Shows the fulness of his merit;
 Reaches out the crown of love.
- 2 For the joy he sets before thee,
 Bear a momentary pain;
 Die, to live a life of glory;
 Suffer, with thy Lord to reign:
 Struggle through thy latest passion
 To the dear Redeemer's breast;
 To his uttermost salvation,
 To his everlasting rest.

114. Weep not for departed saints.

- l O, ye mourners I cease to languish
 O'er the grave of those ye love:
 Pain, and death, and night, and anguish,
 Enter not the world above.
 While in darkness ye are straying,
 Lonely, in the deep'ning shade;
 Glory's brightest beams are playing
 Round th' immortal spirit's head.
- 2 O, ye mourners! cease to languish
 O'er the grave of those ye love;
 Far remov'd from pain and anguish,
 They are chanting hymns of love:
 Light and peace at once deriving
 From the hand of God most high,
 In his glorious presence living,
 They shall never, never die.

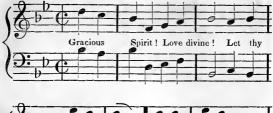
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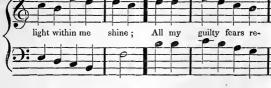
- I Jesus, I my cross have taken,
 All to leave and follow thee;
 Naked, poor, despised, forsaken,
 Thou from hence my All shalt be.
 Let the world neglect and leave me:
 They have left my Saviour too;
 Iluman hopes have oft deceived me:
 Thou art faithful, thou art true.
- 2 Perish earthly fame and treasure,
 Come disaster, scorn and pain;
 In thy service pain is pleasure—
 With thy favor life is gain.
 O, 'tis not in grief to harm me,
 While thy bleeding love I see;
 O, 'tis not in joy to charm me,
 Wheu that love is hid from me,

116. Happiness only in God.

- 1 Tell me, wand'rer, wildly roving
 From the path that leads to peace;
 Pleasure's false enchantment loving—
 When will thy delusion cease!
 Once like thee by joys surrounded,
 I could kneel at pleasure's shrine:
 Then my brightest hopes were bounded,
 By delights as false thine.
- 2 But those visions never bless'd me; Soon their fleeting day was o'er: Then the world that had caress'd me, Charm'd me with its smiles no more. Such is pleasure's transient story: Lasting happiness is known, Ouly in the path oglory— In the Sariout's love alone.









117. Invocation.

- 1 Gracious Spirit! Love divine! Let thy light within me shine; All my guilty fears remove, Fill me with thy heav'nly love.
- 2 Speak thy pard'ning grace to me. Set the burden'd sinner free; Lead me to the Lamb of God, Wash me in his precious blood.
- 3 Life and peace to me impart. Seal salvation on my heart; Breathe thyself into my breast, Earnest of immortal rest.
- 4 Let me never from thee stray, Keep me in the narrow way: Fill my soul with Joy divine: Keep me, Lord, for ever thine.





118. Not ashamed of Christ.

I I'm not asham'd to own my Lord, Or to defend his cause: Maintain the honor of his word,

The glory of his cross. Jesus, my God! I know his name,

His name is all my trust; Nor will he put my hope to shame,

Or let my soul be lost.

2 Firm as his throne his promise stands: And he can well secure

What I've committed to his hands. Till the decisive hour :

Then will he own my worthless name, Before his Father's face .

And in the new Jerusalem Appoint my soul a place.



119. Invocation.

- 1 Come, Holy Spirit, come, Let thy bright beams arise; Dispel the sorrow from our minds, The darkness from our eyes.
- 2 Convince us of our sin; Then lead to Jesus' blood; And to our wond'ring view reveal The secret love of God.
- 3 'Tis thine to cleanse the heart— To sanctify the soul— To pour fresh life in every part, And new create the whole.
- 4 Revive our drooping faith;
 Our doubts and fears remove;
 And kindle in our breasts the flame
 Of never-dying love.

120. Prayer for the Spirit.

- I Come, gracious Spirit, come With energy divine; And on this poor benighted soul With beams of mercy shine.
- 2 O, melt this frozen heart; This stubborn will subdue; These evil passions overcome, And form my soul anew.
- 3 Mine will the blessing be;
 But thine be all the praise;
 And unto thee will I devote
 The remnant of my days.

121. Prayer for the Spirit.

- O, Comforter divine!
 Let beams of heav'nly love
 Amid our gloom and darkness shine,
 To raise our souls above.
- 2 By thy inspiring breath Make ev'ry cloud of care, And e'en the gloomy vale of death A smile of glory wear.

122. Presence of the Saviour.

- 1 When gloomy doubts and fears
 The trembling heart invade,
 And all the face of nature wears
 A universal shade—
- 2 Thy presence can assuage
 The tempest of the soul:
 The billows, Lord, shall cease to rage,
 At thy divine control.
- 3 Through life's bewilder'd way, Thy hand unerring leads; While o'er the path, full many a ray Its cheering lustre sheds.
- 4 Where reason, tir'd and blind, Sinks helpless and afraid, There, blest Supporter of the mind, How pow'rful is thy aid.
- 5 O let me feel that pow'r, And find the sweet relief; To cheer my ev'ry gloomy hour, And calm my ev'ry grief.

123. Death of sin by the Cross.

- 1 Shall we go on in sin,

 Because thy grace abounds,

 Or crucify the Lord again,

 And open all his wounds?
- 2 Forbid it, mighty God!
 Nor let it e'er be said

 That we, whose sins are crucifi'd,
 Should raise them from the dead.
- 3 We will be slaves no more, Since Christ has made us free; Has nail'd our tyrants to his cross, And bought our liberty.

124. Doxology.

Ye angels round the throne,
And saints that dwell below,
Worship the Father, praise the Son,
And bless the Spirit too.



125. In darkness.

1 O, how can praise my tongue employ, While darkness reigns within? How can my soul exult for joy, Which feels this load of sin?

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- 2 If falling tears and rising sighs In triumph share a part; Then, Lord, behold these streaming eyes, And search this bleeding heart.
- 3 My soul forgets to use her wings; My harp neglected lies; For sin has broken all its strings, And guilt shuts up my joys.
 - 4 The pow'r, the sweetness of thy voice Alone my heart can move ; Make me in Christ, my Lord, refnice, And melt my soul to love.

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126. Adoption.

- 1 My God, my Father, blissful name! O, may I call thee mine! May I with sweet assurance claim A portion so diviue!
- 2 This only can my fears control,
 And bid my sorrows fly:
 What harm can ever reach my soul
 Beneath my Father's eye?
- 3 Whate'er thy holy will denies, I cheerfully resign; Lord, thou art good and just and wise! O. bend my will to thine.
- 4 Whate'er thy sacred will ordains, O, give me strength to bear; And let me know my Father reigns, And trust his tender care.

127. Light of God's countenance. 3 Lord, with this guilty heart of mine,

- 1 My God, the spring of all my joys, The life of my delights, The glory of my brightest days, And comfort of my nights:
- 2 In darkest shades if thou appear, My dawning is begun; Thou art my soul's bright morning star, And thou my rising sun.
- S The opening heav'ns around me shine
 With beams of sacred bliss;
 When Jesus shows his mercy mine,
 And whispers I am his.

128. Prayer for Repentance.

- 1 O, for that tenderness of heart That bows before the Lord! That owns how just and good thou art; And trembles at thy word.
- 2 O, for those humble, contrite tears Which from repentance flow! That sense of guilt which trembling fears The long suspended blow.

- 3 Saviour, to me in pity give
 For sin the deep distress;
 The pledge thou wilt at last receive,
 And bid me dle in peace.
- 4 O, fill my soul with faith and love, And strength to do thy will: Raise my desires and hopes above; Thyself to me reveal.

129. Self Crimination.

- Perpetual blessings from above Encompass me around, But O, how few returns of love Hath my Creator found!
- 2 What have I done for him that died To save my wretched soul? How are my follies multiplied, Fast as the minutes roll?
- 3 Lord, with this guilty heart of mine. To thy dear cross I flee, And to thy grace my soul resign, To be renew'd by thee.
- 4 Sprinkled afresh with pardfning blood, 1 lay me down to rest, As in th' embraces of my God, Or on my Saviour's breast.

130. Asking for Grace.

- 1 Alas, what hourly dangers rise! What snares beset my way! To heav'n, O, let me lift my eyes, And hourly watch and pray.
- 2 O Lord, increase my faith and hope, When foes and fears prevail; And bear my fainting spirit up, Or soon my strength will fail.
- 3 O, keep me in thy heav'nly way, And bid the tempter fice; And let me never, never stray From happiness and thee.



131. Christ, the Rock of Ages.

- 1 Rock of Ages, cleft for me, Let me hide myself in thee; Let the water and the blood, From thy wounded side that flow'd. Be of sin the perfect cure; Save ms, Lord, and make me pure
- 2 Should my tears for ever flow; Should my seal no languor know This for sin could not atons:
- Thou must save, and thou alone
 In my hand no price I bring:
 Simply to thy cross I cling.
- 9 While I draw this fleeting breath, When mine eyelids close in death, When I rise to worlds unknown, And behold these on thy throne, Rock of Ages, cleft for me, Let me hide myself in thee.



132. Evening Song.

- 1 Softly now the light of day Fades upon my sight away; Free from care, from labor free, Lord, I would commune with thee.
- 2 Soon for me, the light of day Shall for ever pass away; Then from sin and sorrow free, Take me, Lord, to dwell with thee

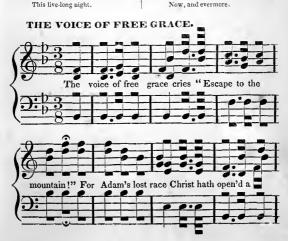
133. Morning Song.

- 1 Thou, O Lord, didst hear my cry; Thy protecting hand was nigh; Peaceful slumbers thou didst shed, O'er my weary, drooping head.
- 2 Gently with the dawning ray, On my soul thy beams display, Sweeter than the smiling morn, Let thy chaoring light reture.

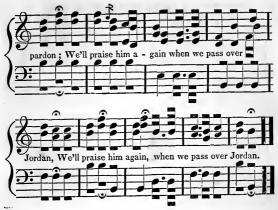




- 2 Thou that rulest earth and heaven,
 Darkness and light;
 Who the day for toil hast given,
 For rest the night;
 May thine angel guards defend us;
 Slumber sweet, thy mercy send us;
 Holy dreams and hopes attend us,
- Thee we adore;
 Fill our hearts with sweet emotion,
 This sacred hour;
 Jesus, Master, thou art worthy;
 All the heav'nly host adore thee;
 Saints shall cast their crowns before thee,
 Now, and evermore.







135. Free Grace.

- 1 The voice of free grace cries "Escape to the mountain," For Adam's lost race, Christ hath open'd a fountain; For sin and uncleanness—for ev'ry transgression, His blood flows most freely, in streams of salvation. Hallelujah to the Lamb ! he hath purchas'd our pardon; We'll praise him again when we pass over Jordan.
- 2 Ye souls that are wounded, 70, flee to the Saviour! He calls you in mercy; 'tis infinite favor! Your sins are increasing; escape to the mountain— His blood can remove them, which flows from the fountain. Hallelujah to the Lamb! he hath purchas'd our pardon; We'll praise him again when we pass over Jordan.
- 3 O, Jesus ride on, triumphantly glorious, O'er sin, death, and hell, thou art more than victorious; Thy name is the theme of the great congregation, While angels and men raise the shout of salvation. Hallelujah to the Lamb! he hath purchas'd our pardon; We'll praise him again when we pass over Jordan.

This tune has, in some respects, a secular origin; but having been written as a song of wailing for the dead, the association will be found sufficiently in character.





136. Praise.

- 1 Let every creature join To praise th'eternal God; Ye heavenly hosts the song begin, And sound his name abroad.
- 2 Thou sun with golden beams,
 And moon with paler rays,
 Ye starry lights, ye twinkling flames,
 Shine to your Maker's praise.
- 3 He built those worlds above, And fix'd their wond'rous frame; By his command they stand or move, And ever speak his name.
- 4 By all his works above,
 His honors be exprest;
 But saints, that taste his saving love,
 Should sing his praises best.

137. Birth of Christ.

- I Behold the grace appear!
 The blessing promis'd long:
 Angels announce the Saviour near,
 In their triumphant song.
- 2 "Glory to God on high, And heav'nly peace on earth; Good will to men, to angels joy, At the Redeemer's birth."
- 3 In worship so divine Let men employ their tongues; With the celestial host we join, And loud repeat their songs.
- 4 "Glory to God on high,
 And heav'nly peace on earth;
 Good will to men, to angels joy,
 At our Redeemer's birth."

138. The Saviour's Birth.

1 We come with joyful song To hail the happy morn; Glad tidings from an angel's tongue, "This day is Jesus born."

- 2 What transports doth his name To angels now afford! His glorious titles they proclaim---"A Saviour, Christ, the Lord."
- 3 Glory to God on high!

 We hail the happy morn;

 We join the chorus of the sky,

 And sing—the Saviour 's born.

139. Christian Unity.

- I Let party names no more

 The Christian world o'erspread;

 Gentile and Jew, and bond and free,

 Are one in Christ their head.
- 2 Among the saints on earth, Let mutual love be found; Heirs of the same inheritance, With mutual blessings crown'd.
- 3 Thus will the Church below,
 Resemble that above,
 Where streams of pleasure ever flow.
 And ev'ry heart is love.

140. A Morning Hymn.

- 1 Serene, I laid me down

 Beneath his guardian care;
 I slept, and I awoke, and found
 My kind preserver near!
- 2 Thus does thine arm support This weak, defenceless frame; But whence these favors, Lord, to me, All worthless as I am?
- 3 O how shall I repay The bounties of my God? This feeble spirit pants beneath The pleasing, painful load.
- 4 My life I would anew
 Devote, O Lord, to thee;
 And in thy service I would spend
 A long eternity.





141. Convocation.

- 1 Blow ye the trumpet, blow
 The gladly solema sound!
 Let all the nations know
 To earth's remotest bound;
 The year of jubilee is come;
 Return, ye ransom'd sinoers, home.
- 2 Exalt the Lamb of God, The sin atoning Lamb; Redemption by his blood, Through all the lands proclaim; The year, &c.—
- 3 Ye slaves of sin and hell, Your liberty receive;

- And safe in Jesus dwell, And blest in Jesus live. The year, &c.
- 4 The gospel trumpet hear,
 The news of pard'ning grace;
 Ye happy souls draw near,
 Behold your Saviour's face.
 The year, &c.
- 5 Jesus, our great High Priest,
 Has full atonement made:
 Ye weary spirits, rest;
 Ye mournful souls, be glad!
 The year, &c.





142. Self Consecration.

- 1 My faith looks up to thee, Thou Lamb of Calvary; Saviour divine! Now hear me while I pray; Take all my guilt away; O'et me from this day Be wholly thine.
- 2 May thy rich grace impart
 Strength to my fainting heart,
 My zeal inspire;
 As thou hast died for me,
 O may my love to thee,
 Pure, warm, and changeless be,
 A living fire.
- 3 While life's dark maze I tread, And griefa around me spread, Be thou my guide; Bid darkaess turn to day, Wipe sorrow's tears away, Nor let me ever stray From thee aside.
 - 4 When ends life's transient dream, When death's cold, sullen stream, Shall o'er me roll; Blest Saviour, then in love, Fear'and distress remove: O, bear me safe above— A ransom'd soul.

143. Worthy the Lamb.

- 1 "Glory to God on high!" Let heav'n and earth reply, "Praise ye his name!" His love and grace adore, Who all our sorrow's bore; Sing aloud evermore----"Worthy the Lamb."
- 2 Ye who sur: ound the throne, Cheerfully join in one, Praising his name;

Ye who have felt his blood, Sealing your peace with God, Sound his dear name abroad; "Worthy the Lamb."

- 3 Join all ye ransom'd race
 Our Lord and God to bless;
 Praise ye his name:
 On him we fix our choice,
 In him we will rejoice,
 Shouting with heart and voice—
 "Worthy the Lamb."

144. Invocation.

- 1 Come thou Almighty King, Help us thy name to sing, Help us to praise: Father all glorious, O'er all victorious, Come and reign over us, Accient of Days.
- 2 Come thou incarnate Word, Jesus, our glorions Lord, Our pray'r attend: Come, and thy people bless, Come, give thy word success; Spirit of holiness, On ms descend.
- 3 Come, holy Comforter, Thy sacred witness bear In this glad hour: Thou who Almighty art, Now rule in ev'ry heart, And ne'er from us depart, Spirit of pow'r.







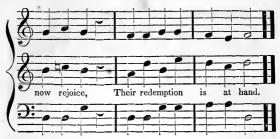
145. Job xxii. 21.

- "' Acquaint now thyself with him, and be at peace: thereby good shall come unto thes.'
 - 1 Acquaint thyself quickly, O sinner, with God, And joy, like the sunshine, shall beam on thy road; And peace, like the dev drops, shall fall on thy head, And sleep, like an angel, shall visit thy bed.
 - 2 Acquaint thyself quickly, O sinner, with God, And he shall be with thee when fears are abroad; Thy safeguard in dangers that threaten thy path; Thy joy in the valley and shadow of death.

146. Delay not.

- Polay not, delay not, O sinner draw near! The waters of life are now flowing for thee; No price is demanded, the Saviour is here, Redemption is purchas'd, salvation is free.
- 2 Delay not, delay not, why longer abuse The love and compassion of Jesus, thy God? A fountain is open'd, how can'st thou refuse To wash and be cleans'd in his pardoning blood.
- 3 Delay not, delay not, O, sinner, to come, For mercy still lingers, and calls thee to-day; Her voice is not heard in the vale of the tomb; Her message, unheeded, will soon pass away.
- 4 Delay not, delay not, the Spirit of Grace, Long griev'd and resisted, may take its sad flight; And leave thee in darkness to finish thy race, To sink in the vale of eteraity's night.
- 5 Delay not, delay not, the hour is at hand— The earth shall dissolve, and the heavens shall fads; The dead, small and great, in the judgment shall stand; What pow'r then, O sinner! shall lead thee its aid!





147. Christ's Second Advent.

- l Hark! that shout of rapturous joy,
 Bursting forth from yonder cloud!
 Jesus comes, and through the sky
 Angels tell their joy aloud.
 Hark, the trumpet's awful voice
 Sounds abroad through sea and land!
 Let his people now rejoice,
 Their redemption is at hand.
- 2 See! the Lord appears in view; Heav'n and earth before him fly! Rise, ye saints! he comes for you, Rise to meet him in the sky.; Go and dwell with him above, Where no foe can e'er molest; Happy in the Saviour's love! Ever blessing, ever blest.

148. Christ's Ascension.

- 1 "Wide ye heav'nly gates unfold, Closed no more by death and sin; Now the conq'ring Lord behold! Let the King of glory in." Hark, th' angelic host inquire "Who is he, th' Almighty King?" Hark again, the answering choir Thus in strains of triumph sing.
- 2 "He whose pow'rful arm alone, On his foes destruction hurl'd; He who hath the vict'ry won, He who sav'd a ruin'd world;

He who God's pure law fulfill'd, Jesus, the incarnate Word; He whose truth with blood was seal'd; He is heav'n's all glorious Lord.

149. The three Mounts.

- l When on Sinai's top I see God descend in majesty, To proclaim his holy law, All my spirits sink with awe. When in ecstacy sublime, Tabor's glorious steep I climb, At the too transporting light, Darkness rushes o'er my sight.
- 2 When on Calvary I rest, God, in fiesh made manifest, Shines in my Redeemen's face Full of beauty, truth, and grace. Here I would for ever stay; Weep, and gaze my soul away. Thou art heav'n on earth to me, Lovely, mournful Calvary.

150. Psalm lxvii.

On thy Church, O, Pow'r divine! Cause thy glorious face to shine, Till the nations from afar Hail her as their guiding star. Then shall God with bounteous hand Scatter blessings o'er the land; And the world's remotest bound With the voice of praise resound.





151. Psalm xxv.

- I The Lord is my Shepherd; he makes me repose Where the pastures in beauty are growing; He leads me afar from the world and its woes, Where in peace the still waters are flowing.
- 2 He strengthens my spirit, he shews me the path Where the arms of his love shall enfold me; And when I walk through the dark valley of death, His rod and his staff will uphold me!

152. Solomon's Songs i. 7, 8.

"Tell me, O thou whom my soul loveth, where thou feedest, where thou makest thy flock to rest at noon; for why should I be as one that turneth aside by the flocks of thy companions?

If thou know not, O thou fairest among women, go thy way forth by the footsteps of the

flock, and feed thy kids beside the shepherds' tents.

- 1 O tell me, thou life and delight of my soul, Where the flock of thy pasture are feeding; Likek thy protection, I need thy control; I would go where my shepherd is leading.
- 2 O, tell me the place where thy flock are at rest, Where the noon-tide will find them reposing? The tempest now rages, my soul is distrest, And the pathway of peace I am losing.
- 3 O, why should I stray with the flocks of thy foes, Mid the desert where now they are roving, Where hunger and thirst, where afflictions and woes, And temptations their ruin are proving?
- 4 O, when shall my woes and my wanderings cease? And the follies that fill me with weeping! Thou Shepherd of Israel! restore me that peace Thou dost give to the flock thou art keeping.
- 5 A voice from the Shepherd now hids thee return By the way where the foot-prints are lying: No longer to wander, no longer to mourn; O, fair one! now homeward be flying!





153. Dawning of the latter day.

- 1 Look, ye saints, the day is breaking; Joyful times are near at hand; God, the mighty God, is speaking By his word, in ev'ry land: Day advances, Darkness files at his command.
- 2 God of Jacob, high and glorious,
 Let thy people see thy pow'r;
 Let the gospel be victorious,
 Through the world for evermore;
 Then shall idols
 Perish while thy saints adore.

154. The Judgment.

- Day of judgment, day of wonders,
 Hark! the trumpet's awful sound,
 Louder than ten thousand thunders,
 Shakes the vast creation round!
 How the summons
 Will the sinner's heart confound!
- 2 At his call, the dead awaken
 From the earth, and from the sea;
 Lo! the pow'rs of nature shaken!
 Earth and heav'n flee away!
 Careless sinner
 What will then become of thee!

155. The Judgment.

- 1 Lo! he comes, in clouds descending,
 Once for favor'd sinners slain;
 Thousand, thousand saints attending,
 Swell the triumph of his train.
 Hallelujah!
 Hallelujah! Amen.
- 2 Ev'ry eye shall now behold him Rob'd in dreadful majesty: Those who set at naught and sold him, Pierc'd and nail'd him to the tree: Deeply walling, Shall the great Messiah see.
- 3 Ev'ry island, sea, and mountain, Heav'n and earth shall flee away, All who hate him, must confounded, Hear the trump proclaim the day: Come to judgment! Come to judgment! come away.
- 4 Now the Saviour, long expected, See in solemn pomp appear! All his saints by man rejected, Now shall meet him in the air! Hallelujah! See the day of God appear.



156. Triumph of the Gospel.

- l Arm of the Lord, awake, awake l Put on thy strength, the nations shake; And let the world, adoring, see Triumphs of mercy wrought by thee.
- 2 Say to the heathen from thy throne, I am Jehovah—God alone! Thy voice their idols shall confound, And cast their altars to the ground.
- 3 Almighty God, thy grace proclaim, In ev'ry land of ev'ry name; Let Zion's time of favor come: O bring the tribes of Israel home.
- 4 Arm of the Lord, awake, awake! Put on thy strength, the nations shake; Let hostile pow'rs before thee fall, And crown the Saviour Lord of all!

157. Christian Race.

- 1 Awake our souls, away our fears;

 Let every trembling thought be gone;

 Awake and run the heavenly race,

 And put a cheerful courage on.
- 2 True, 'tis a straight and thorny road, And mortal spirits tire aud faint; But they forget the mighty God, That feeds the strength of every saint.
- 3 From thee, the overflowing spring, Our souls shall drink a fresh supply, While such as trust their native strength Shall melt away, and droop and die.
- 4 Swift as an eagle cuts the air, We'll mount aloft to thine abode; On wings of love our souls shall fly, Nor tire amidst the heavenly road.

158. Triumph of Truth.

l Who shall the Lord's elect condemn?
'Tis Gcd who justifies their souls;
And mercy like a mighty stream
O'er all their sins divinely rolls.

- 2 Who shall adjudge the saints to hell? 'Tis Christ that suffer'd in their stead; And the salvation to fulfil, Behold him rising from the dead.
- 3 He lives! he lives! and sits above, For ever interceding there; Who shall divide us from his love, Or who shall tempt us to despair!
- 4 Shall persecution or distress,
 Famine, or sword, or nakedness!
 He that hath lov'd us, bears us through,
 And makes us more than conq'rers too.
- 5 Faith bath an overcoming pow'r, It triumphs in a dying hour; Christ is our life, our joy, our hope, Nor shall we sink with such a prop.

159. Warfare.

- 1 Stand up, my soul! shake off thy fear! And gird the gospel armor on; March to the gates of endless joy, Where Jesus, thy great Captain's gone.
- 2 Hell and thy sins resist thy course, But hell and sin are vanquish'd foes; Thy Jesus nail'd them to his cross, And sung the triumph as he rose.
- 3 Then let my soul march boldly on, Pass forward to the heav'nly gate; There peace and joy eternal reign, And glitt'ring robes for conq'rers wait.

160. Christ's reign on earth.

- 1 Now let the angels sound on high, Let shouts be heard through all the sky; Kings of the earth, with glad accord, Give up your kingdoms to the Lord.
- 2 Almighty God! thy pow'r assume, Who wast and art and art to come; Jesus, the Lamb that once was slain, For ever live—for ever reign.





161. Zion Comforted.

- 1 Zion dreary
 And in anguish,
 'Mid the desert hast thou strayed?
 O, thou weary
 Cease to languish;
 Jesus shall life up thy head.
 O, thou weary, &c.
- O, thou weary, &c.

 2 Still lamenting
 And bemoaning,
 Mid thy follies, and thy woes!

 Soon repenting,
- And returning,
 All thy solitude shall close.
 Soon repenting, &c.

3 Though benighted

- And forsaken,
 Though afflicted and distress'd;
 His Almighty
 Arm shall waken;
 Zion's King shall give thee rest.
 His Almighty, &c.
- 4 Cease thy sadness
 Unbelieving;
 Soon his glory shalt thou see!
 Joy and gladness,
 And thanksgiving,
 And the voice of melody.
 Joy and gladness, &c.

162. Prayer for Forgiveness.

- 1 Saviour hear us
 Through thy merit,
 Löwly bending at thy feet:
 O, draw near us
 By thy Spirit,
 Prostrate at the mercy seat.
- Prostrate at the mercy seat.

 O, draw near us, &c.

 Wretched, sinful,
 And unworthy:
- Sick, and poor, and deaf, and blind:
 Oft unmindful
 While before thee,
 Of our need of such a Friend.
 Oft unmindful, &c.
- 3 O, how precious
 Is the favor
 Of forgiveness through thy blood:
 Come thou gracious,
 Bleeding Saviour,
 Be our advocate with God.
 Come thou gracious, &c.
- 4 For the joys
 Of thy salvation,
 Still we raise our cries to thee;
 Hear the voice
 Of supplication.
 Set our souls at liberty.
 Hear thy voice, &c.





163. The Crucifixion.

- 1 'Tis finish'd! so the Saviour cried, And meekly bow'd his head, and died; 'Tis finish'd—yes, the race is run, The battle fought, the vict'ry won.
- 2 'Tis finish'd—this, my dying groan Shall sins of ev'ry kind atone: Millions shall be redeem'd from death By this my last_expiring breath.

164. Agony in the Garden.

- 1 'Tis midnight—and on Olivee' brow The star is dim'd, that lately shone; 'Tis midnight—in the garden now 'The suff'riog Saviour prays alone.
- 2 'Tis midnight—and from all remov'd, Immanuel wrestles lone with fears; E'en the disciple that he loves, Heeds not his Master's griefs and tears.
- 3 'Tis midnight—and for others' guilt, The man of sorrows weeps in blood; Yet he that hath in anguish knelt, Is not forsaken by his God.
- 4 'Tis midnight—from the heav'nly plains
 Is borne the song that angelsknow,
 Unheard by mortals are the strains
 That sweetly scothe the Saviour's wee.

165. Influence of the Spirit.

1 Dear Saviour—shall thy Spirit rest In such a wretched heart as mine? Unworthy dwelling! glorious guest! Favor astonishing, divine! 2 Dear Saviour—in this aching heart Reveal the fulness of thy love; And light and heavenly peace impart, Sweet earnest of the joys above.

166. Forgive us, as we forgive.

- 1 Forgive us, Lord, to thee we cry: Forgive us through thy matchless grace: On thee alone, our souls rely; Be thou our strength and righteousness.
- 2 Forgive us, as we now forgive The ills we suffer from our foes; Restore us, Lord, and bid us live, O, bid us in thine arms repose.
- 3 Forgive us, for our guilt is great, Our wretched souls no merit claim; For sovereign mercy still we wait, And ask but in the Saviour's name.
- | Forgive us, O, thou bleeding Lamb! Thou risen, thou exalted Lord! Thou great High Priest, our souls redeem, And speak the pardon-sealing word.

167. Inconstancy.

- 1 Ah wretched, vile, ungrateful heart, That can from Jesus thus depart; Thus fend of trifles, vainly rove, Forgetful of a Saviour's love.
- 2 O, Jesus! now I would return, And at thy feet repenting mourn; Here let me view thy pard ning love, And never from thy sight remove.



168. Coming to Christ.

- 1 There is a voice of sovereign grace Sounds from the sacred word;
- "Ho! ye despairing sinners come, And trust th' atoning Lord."
- 2 My soul obeys th' Almighty call, And runs to this relief; I would believe thy promise, Lord, Help thou my unbelief.
- 8 To the dear fountain of thy blood, Incarnate God, I fly; Here I would cleanse my guilty soul From sins of deepest dye.
- 4 A sinful, weak, and helpless worm, Into thine arms I fall; Be thou my strength, my righteousness, My Jesus and my all.

169. Immediate Repentance.

- Repent, the voice celestial cries,
 Nor longer dare delay;
 The soul that scorns the mandate dies,
 And meets the wrathful day.
- 2 No more the sovereign eye of God O'erlooks the crimes of men; He sends his messengers abroad, To warn the world of sin.
- 3 Ye sinners in his presence bow, And all your guilt confess; Accept the offer'd Saviour now, Nor trifle with his grace.
- 4 Soon will the awful trumpet sound, And call you to his bar; For mercy knows th' appointed bound, And yields to vengeance there.
- 5 O listen to the Saviour's call, While he prolongs your days; Now yield your hearts, and prostrate fall, And weep, and love, and praise.

170. Grace.

- 1 Amazing grace! how sweet the sound That sav'd a soul like me! I once was lost, but now am found, Was blind, but now I see.
- 2 'Twas grace that taught my heart to fear; 'Twas grace my fears reliev'd; How precious did that grace appear, The hour I first believ'd!
- 3 Full many a danger, toil, and snare, My soul has overcome; 'Tis grace that brought me safe thus far, And grace will lead me home.
- 4 And when this flesh and heart shall fail, And mortal life shall cease; I shall possess within the veil, A life of joy and peace.

171. The Bible.

- 1 Father of mercies, in thy word What endless glory shines! For ever be thy name ador'd For these celestial lines.
- 2 Here may the wretched sons of want Exhaustless riches find; Riches above what earth can graut, And lasting as the mind.
- 8 Here the Redeemer's welcome voice Spreads heav'nly peace around; And life, and everlasting joys Attend the blissful sound.
- 4 O, may these heav'nly pages be My ever dear delight; And still new beauties may I see, And still increasing light!
- 5 Divine Instructer, gracious Lord,
 Be thou for ever near,
 Teach me to love thy sacred word,
 And view my Saviour there.



172. Psalm lxxxviii.

- 1 While life prolongs its precious light, Mercy is found, and peace is giv'n; But soon, ah! soon! approaching night Shall blot out ev'ry hope of heav'n.
- 2 While God invites, how bless'd the day!
 How sweet the gospel's charming sound!
 "Come, sinners, haste, O, haste away.
 While yet a pard'ning God he's found."

 1 Yet save a trembling sinner, Lord,
- 3 Soon, borne on time's most rapid wing, Shall death command you to the grave; Before his bar your spirits bring, And none be found to hear or save.
- 4 In that lone land of deep despair,
 No Sabbath's heav'nly light shall rise;
 No God regard your bitter prayer;
 Nor Saviour call you to the skies.

173. Death and burial of saints.

- 1 Unveil thy bosom, faithful tomb,
 Take this new treasure to thy trust,
 And give these sacred relics room,
 To seek a slumber in the dust.
- 2 Nor pain, nor grief, nor auxious fear, Invade the bounds; no mortal woes Can reach the peaceful sleeper here, While augels watch the soft repose.
- 3 So Jesus slept—God's dying Son [bed! Pass'd thro' the grave, and bless'd the Rest here, blest saint, till from his throne The morning break, & pierce the shade.
- 4 Break from his throne, illustrious morn! Attend, O earth! his sovereign word; Restore thy trust—a glorious form Shall then arise to meet the Lord.

174. Psalm li.

1 Show pity, Lord; O Lord, forgive; Let a repenting rebel live; Are not thy mercies large and free? May not a sinner trust in thee?

- 2 O, wash my soul from ev'ry sin, And make my guilty conscience clean; Here on my heart the hurden lies, And past offences pain mine eyes.
- 3 Should sudden vengeance sieze my breath, I must pronounce thee just, in death; And if my soul were sent to hell, Thy righteous law approves it well.
 - Yet save a trembling sinner, Lord, Whose hope, still hov'ring round thy word Would light on some sweet promise there, Some sure support against despair.

175. Prayer for the Millenium.

- I Jesus, we bow before thy throne; We lift our eyes to seek thy face; To bleeding hearts thy love make known; On contrite souls bestow thy grace.
- 2 See, spread beneath thy gracious eye,
 A world o'erwhelm'd in guilt and tears,
 Where deathless souls in ruin lie,
 And no kind voice dispels their fears.
- 3 Lord, arm thy truth with pow'r divine; Its conquests spread from shore to shore, Till suns and stars forget to shine, And earth and skies shall be no more.
- 4 O rise, ye ransom'd captives rise,
 Peal the loud anthem here below;
 Let earth reflect it to the skies,
 And heav'n with newborn rapture glow

176. Warning.

- 1 Say, sinner, hath a voice within Oft whisper'd to thy inmost soul; Urg'd thee to leave the ways of sin, And yield thy heart to God's control.
- 2 Sinner, it was a heav'nly voice, It was the Spirit's gracious call: It hade thee make the happy choice, And take the Saviour for thy all.



177. To-day.

- 1 To-day the Saviour calls! Ye wand'rers come; O, ye benighted souls, Why longer roam.
- To-day the Saviour calls!
 I, listen now:
 Within these sacred walls
 To Jesus bow.
- 3 To-day the Saviour calls!
 For refuge fly;
 The storm of vengeance falls;
 Ruin is nigh.
 - 4 The Spirit calls to-day! Yield to his pow'r: O, grieve him not away; 'Tis mercy's hour.





- 1 Come to Calv'ry's holy mountain, Sinners ruin'd by the fall; Here a pure and healing fountain Flows for ev'ry guilty soul, In a full, perpetual tide; Open'd when the Saviour died.
- 2 Come, in sorrow and contrition, Wounded, impotent, and blind; Here the guilty seek remission,
- Here the troubled refuge find: Health this fountain will restore; He that drinks shall thirst no more.
- 3 Come, ye dying, live for ever;

 'Tis a soul-reviving flood:
 God is faithful; he will never
 Break his cov'nant, seal'd in blood;
 Sign'd when our Redeemer died—
 Seal'd when he was giorifi'd.

179. GOSPEL BANNER.





2 Yes, thou shalt reign for ever, O Jesus, King of kings! Thy light, thy love, thy favor Each ransom'd captive sings: The isles for thee are waiting,
The descris learn thy praise,
The hills and vallies greeting,
The song responsive raise.





180. Spring.

- 1 While beauty clothes the fertile vale, And blossoms on the spray, And fragrance breathes in ev'ry gole— How sweet the vernal day: Hark! how the feather'd warblers sing! 'Tis nature's cheerful voice; Soft music hails the lovely spring, And woods and fields rejoice.
- 2 How kind the influence of the skies, While show'rs, with blessings fraught, Bid verdure, beauty, fragrance rise, And fix the ruving thought: O, let my wond'ring heart confess, With gratitude and love, The bounteous Hand that deigns to bless Each snilling field and grove.
- 3 That hand in this hard heart of mine Can bid each virtue live; While gentle show'rs of grace divine, Life, beauty, fragrance give: O, God of nature, God of grace, Thy heav'nly gifts impart; And bid sweet meditation trace

Spring blooming in my heart.

131. Spring Spiritualized.

I At length the op'ning spring is come,
How joyous is the scene!
The air is fill'd with rich perform;
The fields are dress'd in green:
I see my Saviour, from on high,
Break through the clouds and shine;
No creature now more bless'd than I,
No heart more glad than mine.

2 Thy word bids all my hopes revive,
It overcomes my foes;
It makes my languid graces thrive,
And blossom like the rose:
Thus, Lord, a monument I stand,
Of what thy grace can do;
Still guide me with thy gentle hand,
The changing seasons through.

182. The Seasons.

1 The Lord is good; the heav'nly King Still makes the earth his care; Visits the pastures ev'ry spring, And bids the grass appear: The times and seasons, days and hours, Heav'n, earth, and air are thine; When clouds distil in fruitful show'rs,

The Author is divine.

2 The soften'd ridges of the field
Permit the corn to spring;
The valleys rich provision yield,
And all the lab'rers sing:
The varying months thy goodness crowns
How beauteous are thy ways:
The bleating flocks spread o'er the downs,
And shepherds shout thy praise.

183. Harrest.

To praise the ever-bounteous Lord, My soul, wake all thy pow'rs; He calls, and at his voice, come forth The smiling harvest hours: It's cov'nant with the earth he keeps; My tongou his goodness sing; Summer and winter know their time

The harvest crowns the spring.



- 2 Return, O wand'rer, to thy home,
 "I'is Jesus calls for thee:
 The Spirit and the Bride say—come:
 O, now for refuge flee:
 Return, return!
- 3 Return, O wand'rer, to thy home,
 'Tis madness to delay:
 There are no pardons in the tomb,
 And brief is mercy's day:
 Return, return!

185. WHEN THE HEART IS SAD.



- 2 When our heads are bow'd with woe; When our bitter tears o'erflow; When we mourn a brother dear; Jesus, son of David, hear!
- 3 Thou our throbbing flesh hast worn; Thou our mortal griefs hast borne; Thou hast shed affection's tear: Jesus, Son of David, hear!





We joyfully adore thee;
Till thou appear,
Thy members here
Shall sing like those in glory.
We lift our hearts and roices
In blest anticipation;
And cry aboud,
And give to God
The praise of our salvation.
2 Thou dost conduct thy people
Through deserts of temptation;
Nor will we fear,
While thou art near,
The fire of virbulation.

By Thee we shall
Break through them all,
And sing the song of Moses.
3 Faith now beholds the glory
To which thou wilt restore us;
Earth we despise
For that high prize
Which thou hast set before us.
And if thou count us worthy,
We then, like dying Stephen,
Shall see thee staud.

In vain our march opposes;

At God's right hand, To take us up to beav'n.



187. Brotherly Love.

- 1 How sweet and heav'nly is the sight, When those that fear the Lord In mutual love and peace unite, And thus fulfil his word;
- 2 When each can feel his brother's sigh, And with him bear a part; When sorrow flows from eye to eye, And Joy from heart to heart.
- 3 When love, in one delightful stream, Through ev'ry bosom flows; And union, sweet and fond esteem, In ev'ry action glows,
- 4 This is the golden chain that binds
 The happy souls above;
 And he's an heir of heav'n that finds
 Ilis bosom fill'd with love.





188. Presence of Christ.

- 1 Come, Lord, and warm each languid Inspire each lifeless tongue; [heart— And let the joys of heav'n impart Their influ'nce to our song.
- 2 Come, Lord, thy love alone can raise In us the heav'nly flame;
- Then shall our lips resound thy praise, Our hearts adore thy name.
- 3 Dear Saviour, let thy glory shine,
 'And fill thy dwellings here;
 Till life, and love, and Joy divine,
 A heav'n on earth appear.





189. Dawn of the Millennium.

Holy joys, thy light is waking:
Morn of Zion's glory.
Ancient saints foretold thee,
Seraph-angels glad behold thee:
Far and wide,
See them glide;
Streams of rich salvation
Flow to ev'ry nation.
2 Morn of Zion's glory—
Ev'ry human dwelling
With thy notes of joy is swelling:
Morn of Zion's glory.
Joseph Grand Streams of Joy is swelling:
Morn of Zion's glory.
Joseph Holy Streams of Joy is glory.
Joseph Holy Streams of Joy is swelling:

 Morn of Zion's glory— Brightly thou art breaking, Echo'd voices sweet are singing;
Haste thee on
Like the sun,
Paths of splendor tracing,
Heathen midnight chasing.
3 Morn of Zion's glory—
Now the night is riven;
Now the star is high in heav'n;
Morn of Zion's glory.
Joyful hearts are bounding,
Hallelujahs now are sounding;
Peace with men
Dwells again;
Jesus reigns for ever!
Jesus reigns for ever!



190. Expostulation.

- 1 Haste, O slnner, to be wise, Stay not for the morrow's sun ! Wisdom warns thee from the skies, All the paths of death to shun.
- 2 Haste! and mercy now implore; Stay not for the morrow's sun!
- Thy probation may be o'er. Ere this evening's work is done.
- 3 Haste while yet thou canst be blest; Stay not for the morrow's sun; Death may e'en thy soul arrest, Ere the morrow is begun.

PILGRIM'S PRAYER.



191. Pilgrim's Prayer.

- 1 Guide me, O thou great Jehovah, Pilgrim thro' this barren land : I am weak, but thou art mighty. · Hold me with thy powerful hand: Bread of heaven. Feed me till I want no more.
- 2 Open thou the crystal fountain, Whence the healing waters flow : Let the fiery, cloudy pillar
- Lead me all my journey through ; Strong Deliv'rer, Be thou still my strength and shield.
- 3 When I tread the verge of Jordan, Bid my anxious fears subside ; Death of death, and hell's destruction, Land me safe on Canaau's side : Songs of praises

I will ever give to thee,



192. Praise for a Revival.

- I Fount of everlasting love!
 Rich thy streams of mercy are,
 Plowing purely from above;
 Beauty marks their course afar.
- 2 Lo! thy Church, thy garden now, Bluoms beneath the heav'nly show'r; Sinners feel, and melt, and bow; Mild, yet mighty is thy pow'r.
- 3 God of grace! before thy throne, Here our warmest thanks we bring; Thine the glory, thine alone; Loudest praise to thee we sing.
- 4 Hear, O hear our grateful song;
 Let thy Spirit still descend:
 Roll the tide of grace along,
 Wid'ning, deep'ning to the end.

193. Prayer for the Holy Ghost.

- f Holy Ghost, with light divine, Shine upon this heart of mine; Chase the shades of night away, Turo the darkness into day.
- 2 Holy Ghost, with pow'r divine, Cleanse this guilty heart of mine; Long has sin, without control, Held dominion o'er my soul.
- 3 Holy Ghost, with light divine, Dwell within this heart of mine; Cast down ev'ry idol throne, Reign supreme, and reign alone.

194. Confession.

- I Sov'reign Ruler, Lord of all, Prostrate at thy feet I fall; Hear, O hear my earnest cry, Frown not, lest I faint and die.
- 2 Vilest of the sons of men, Chief of sinners I have been; Oft ahus'd thee to thy face, Trampl'd on thy richest grace.

- 3 Justly might thy vengeful dart Pierce this bleeding, broken heart; Justly might thy angry breath Elast me in eternal death.
- 4 Eut with thee there may be found Balm to heal my ev'ry wound; Soothe, O soothe the troubled breast, Give the weary wand'rer rest.

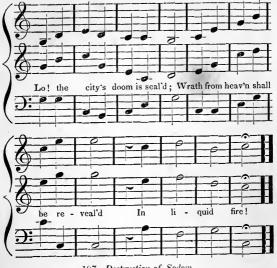
195. Resurrection.

- l Morning breaks upon the tomb, Jesus scatters all its gloom; Day of triumph through the skies, See the glorious Saviour rise!
- 2 Ye who are of death afraid,
 Triumph in the scatter'd shade;
 Drive your anxious cares away:
 See the place where Jesus lay.
- 3 Christian, dry your flowing tears, Chase your unbelieving fears; Look on his deserted grave; Doubt no more his pow'r to save.

Seeking a blessing on public wership.

- I In thy presence we appear; Lord, we love to worship here--When within the veil we meet Thee upon thy mercy seat.
- 2 While thy glorious name is sung, Touch our lips, unloose our tongue; Then our joyful souls shall bless Thee, the Lard our righteousness.
- 3 While to thee our pray'rs ascend, Let thine ear in love attend; Hear us, when thy Spirit pleads, Hear, for Jesus intercedes.
- 4 While thy word is heard with awe, And we tremble at thy law, Let thy gospel's wondrous love All our doubts and fears remove.





197. Destruction of Sodom.

I Haste thee, sinner, haste away, Vengeauce is at hand ! From destruction quickly flee, Flee at God's command! Nor more inquire. Lo! the city's doom is seal'd; Wrath from heav'n shall be reveal'd In liquid fire!

2 Haste thee, sinner, haste away From thee o'erwhelming rain! Break at once thy long delay, Stay not in the plain ! In threat'ning form, See the clouds above thy head, All around their folds are spread, O, flee the storm!

Ere the tempest falls ! Now the warning voice obey, While the Spirit calls : For refuge fly; In the fate of Sodom see, What may quickly come to thee: Why wilt thou die! 4 Haste thee, sinner, haste away, While 'tis mercy's hour ;

3 Haste thee, sinner, haste away,

Harden not thy heart to-day, Through the tempter's power; O, turn and live; Jesus is the hiding place, Flee to him, and trust his grace; He will forgive.



198. Breathing after the Spirit.

- 1 At anchor laid, remote from home, Toiling I cry, O Spirit come, Celestial breeze, no longer stay, But swell my sails, and speed my way.
- 2 Fain would I feel the Spirit move In breathings of celestial love; And while I spread my feeble sails, O send thy gentle quick'ning gales.

199. Showers of Grace.

- I As in soft silence, vernal show'rs

 Descend and cheer the fainting flow'rs;

 So in the secrecy of love,

 Falls the sweet influ'nce from above.
- 2 May we this heav'nly influence find, In holy silence of the mind, And every grace maintain its bloom, Diffusing wide the rich perfume:
- 3 And lands beneath the hurning sky, Which now are desolate and dry, Ere long the blest effusions share, And sudden green and herbage wear.

200. Sun of Righteousness.

- 1 O Sun of Righteousness, arise, With gentle beams on Zion shine; Dispel the darkness from our eyes, And souls awake to life divine.
- 2 On all around let grace descend, Like heav'nly dew, or copious show'rs, That we may call our God our friend; That we may hail salvation ours.

201. The Elernal Sabbath.

1 Thine earthly sabbaths, Lord, we love; But there's a nobler rest above; To that our longing souls aspire, With cheerful hope, and strong desire.

- 2 No more fatigue, no more distress, Nor sin nor death shall reach the place; No groans shall mingle with the songs That warble from immortal tongues.
- 3 No rude alarms of raging foes;
 No cares to break the long repose;
 No midnight shade, no clouded sun,
 But sacred, high, eternal noon.
 [End with the first verse.]

202. For the Monthly Concert.

- I Sov'reign of worlds! display thy pow'r, Let this be Zion's favor'd hour; O bid the morning star arise; And point the heathen to the skies.
- 2 Set up thy throne where Satan reigns, In western wilds, and heathen plains; Far let the gospel's sound be known, And make the universe thine own.
- 3 Speak! and the world shall hear thy voice Speak! and the desert shall rejoice; Scatter the gloom of heathen night, Bid ev'ry nation hall the light.

203. A morning or evening psalm.

- I My God, accept my early vows, Like morning incense in thine house; And let my nightly worship rise Sweet as the evening sacrifice.
- 2 Watch o'er my lips, and gnard them, Lord, From every rash and heedless word; Nor let my feet incline to tread The guilty path where sinners lead.
- 3 O, may the righteous, when I stray, Smite and reprove my wandr'ing way! Their gentle words, like ointment shed, Shall never bruise, but cheer my head.
- 4 When I behold them prest with grief, I'll cry to heaven for their relief; And by my warm petitions prove How much I prize their faithful love,





204 Departure of Missionaries.

- 1 Watchmen? onward to your stations; Blow the trumpet long and loud; Freach the gospel to the nations, Speak to ev'ry gath'ring crowd: See I the day is breaking; See the saints awaking, No more in sadness bow'd.
- 2 Watchmen! hail the rising glory Of the great Messiah's reign; Bell the Saviour's bleeding story, Tell it to the list'ning train: See his love revealing; See the Spirit sealing; "Ts' life amid the slain!
- 3 Watchmen! as the clouds are flying, As the doves in haste return, Thousands from amid the dying, Flee to Christ, his love to learn: All their sighs and sadness, Turn to joy and gladness, When they his grace discern.
- Watchmen ! now lift up your voices; Tell the triumphs of your King, While the ransom'd host rejoices; Sing aloud, his praises sing:

See his arm victorious; See his kingdom glorious, While heav'ns glad anthems ring.

PART SECOND.

- 5 Watchmen! when your friends are weeping
 When they bid the last adieu,
 To your heav'nly Father's keeping,
 Leave them, in submission true:
 Kind is his protection;
 Safe by his direction,
 Your onward course pursue.
- 6 Watchmen! cast no look behind you, While your fees are pressing hard, Jesus shallpimself defend you, Zion's King shall be your guard: What, though hosts assail you, Christ can never fail you; He is your great reward.
- 7 Watchmen! when your toils are ended; When your conflicts all are o'er, By celestial bands attended, You shall reach the heav'nly shore: Crowns of joy await you, While the hosts that hate you, Perish overmore.





205. The Judgment Seat.

- 1 O, there will be mourning
 Before the judgment seat!
 When this world is burning
 Beneath Jehovah's feet!
 Friends and kindred then will part,
 Will part to meet no more!
 Wrath will sink the rebel's heart,
 While saints on high adore!
- 2 O, there will be mourning Before the judgment seat! When the trumpet's warning The sinner's e'er shall greet! Friends and kindred, &c.
- 3 O, there will be mourning
 Before the judgment seat!
 When from dust returning,
 The lost their doom shall meet.
 Friends and kindred, &c.
- 4 O, there will be mourning
 Before the judgment scat;
 Despair for ever frowning
 Shall seal the sinner's fate.
 Friends and kindred then will part,
 Will part to meet no more!
 Wrath will sink the rebel's heart,
 While saints on high adore!





206. Universal Praise.

- 1 O city of the Lord! begin the universal song, And let the scatter'd villages the joyful notes prolong: Let Kedar's wilderness afar, lift up the lonely voice; And let the tenants of the rock, in accent rude rejoice.
- 2 O from the streams of distant lands unto Jehovah sing; And Joyful from the mountain tops, shout to the Lord, the King: Let all combined with one accord, the Saviour's glories raise, Till in remotest bounds of earth, the nations sound his praise.

207. Latter Day. Micah iv. 1-5.

- 1 Behold the mountain of the Lord in latter days shall rise, Shall tow'r above the meaner hills, and draw the wond'ring eyes: To this the joyful nations round, and distant tribes shall flow; "Ascend the hill of God," they cry, and to his temple go.
- 2 The beams that shine on Zion's hill, shall lighten ev'ry land;
 The King that reigns in Zion's towr's, shall all the world command;
 No strife shall vex Messiah's reign, or mar the peaceful years;
 To plough-shares they shall beat their swords, to pruning hooks their spears.
- 3 No longer host encount'ring host, their millions slain deplore; The arts of peace they cultivate, and study war no more: Come then, O come from ev'ry land, to worship at his shrine; And walking in the light of God, with holy beauty shine!

203. The House not made with Hands. II Cor. v. 1--5

- 1 There is a house not made with hands, eternal in the skies; And far beyond this scene of things, the fair possession lies: Then let this earthly tenement dissolve in kindred dust; My Saviour hath a place prepar'd, and he is all my trust.
- 2 For this inheritance I wait within my house of clay, Mid darkness and imprisonment, still languishing for day: Nor naked would my soul appear, before my Father's face, But "toth'd upon" in righteousness, through my Redeemer's grace.





209. Praise to the Saviour.

- 1 To thee, my God and Saviour, .
 My soul exulting sings;
 Rejoicing in thy favor,
 Almighty King, of Kings!
 I'll celebrate thy glory
 With all thy saints above,
 And tell the joyful story
 Of thy redeeming love.
- 2 Soon as the morn with roses
 Bedecks the dewy east,
 And when the sun reposes
 Upon the ocean's breast;
 My voice in supplication,
 My Saviour, thou shalt hear:
 O grant me thy salvation,
 And to my soul draw near.
 - 3 By thee, thro' life supported, 1 pass the dang'rous road, With heav'n'ny hosts escorted, Up to their bright abode: Then cast my crown before thee, And all my condicts o'er, Uncessingly adore thee; What could an angel more.

210. Prayer and Praise.

I To thee, in youth's bright morning,
Father of all we pray;
While thought and fancy dawning,
Lead on the rising day;
To thee, in life's last even,
We'll tune our feebler breath;
Hear all our sins forgiven,
And softly sleep in death.

2 When from death's sleep we 'waken, No fears shall us surprise; All earthly things forsaken, What joys shall meet our eyes! With raptures then increasing, For ever we'll rejoice; And praises, never-ceasing, Shall wake each tureful voice.

211. Departure of Missionaries.

I Roll on thou mighty ocean!
And as thy billows flow,
Bear messengers of mercy
To ev'ry land below.
Arise ye gales and waft them
Safe to the destin'd shore;
That man may sit in darkness,
And death's black shade no more.

2 O thou Eternal Ruler !

Who holdest in thine arm
The tempests of the ocean;
Deliver them from harm!
Thy presence still be with them,
Wherever they may be;
Though far from us who love them,
O let them be with thee.

212. Doxology.

To Father, Son, and Spirit,
Eternal praise he giv'n,
By all that earth inherit,
And all that dwell in heav'n:
Thou triune God! before thee,
Our inmost souls adore:
Who art and hast been worthy,
And shall be evermore.



213. A Look from the Cross.

- 1 I saw one hanging on a tree, In agony, and blood, Who fix'd his languid eyes on me, As near the cross I stood.
- 2 Sure, never to my latest breath Can I forget that look; It seem'd to charge me with his death, Though not a word he spoke.
- 3 Alas, I knew not what I did,
 But all my tears were vain;
 Where could my trembling soul be hid,
 For I the Lord had slain.
 - 4 A second look he gave which said,
 "I freely all forgive;
 This bloud is for thy ransom paid;
 I die, that thou may'st live."
 - "Thus while my death, thy sin displays In all its blackest hue; Such is the mystery of grace, It seals thy pardon too!"

214. In Darkness.

- I Hear, gracious God, my humble moan!
 To thee, I breathe my sighs;
 When will the mournful night be gone,
 And when my joys arise?
- 2 My God! O could I make the claim, My Father and my Friend, And call thee mine, by ev'ry name, On which thy saints depend.
- 3 By ev'ry name, of pow'r and love,
 I would thy grace entreat
 Nor should my humble hopes remove,
 Nor leave the sacred seat.
- Yet, though my soul in darkness mourns, Thy word is all my stay; Here I would rest 'till light returns. Thy presence makes my day.

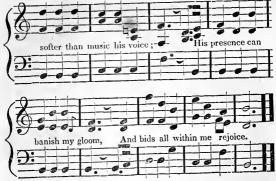
215. Prayer for quickening grace.

- I O for a closer walk with God, A calm and heav'nly frame; A light to shine upon the road That leads me to the Lamb!
- 2 What peaceful hours I once enjoy'd; How sweettheir mem'ry still! But they have left an aching void The world can never fill.
- 3 Return, O holy Dove, return, Sweet messenger of rest; I hate the sins that made thee mourn, And drove thee from my breast.
- 4 The dearest idol I have known,
 Whate'er that idol be,
 Help me to tear it from thy throne,
 And worship only thee.
- 5 So shall my walk be close with God, Calm and serene my frame; So purer light shall mark the road That leads me to the Lamb.

216. Death of a young person.

- I When blooming youth is snatch'd away By death's resistless hand, Our hearts the mournful tribute pay, Which pity must demand.
- 2 While pity prompts the rising sigh, O may this truth, imprest With awful pow'r—" I too must die"— Sink deep in ev'ry breast.
- 3 The voice of this alarming scene May ev'ry heart obey; Nor be the heav'nly warning vain, Which calls to watch, and pray.
- 4 O let us fly, to Jesus fly, Whose pow'rful arm can save; Then shall our hopes ascend on high, And triumph o'er the grave.





217. In Darkness.

- 1 How tedious and tasteless the hours,
 When Jesus no longer 1 see!
 The woodlands, the fields, and the flow'rs,
 Have lost all their sweetness to me.
 His name yields the richest perfume,
 And softer than music his voice;
 His presence can banish my gloom,
- And bid all within me rejoice.
 2 Dear Lord, if indeed thou art mine,
 And thou art my light and my song;
 Say, why do I languish and pine,
 And why are my winters so long?
 O drive these dark clouds from the sky,
 Thy soul cheering presence restore,
 Or bid me soar upward on high,
 Where winter and storms are no more.
- 218. Faith Fainting.
 1 Encompass'd with clouds of distress,
- Just ready all hope to resign,
 I pant for the light of thy face,
 And fear it will never be mine;
 Dishearten'd with waiting so long,
 I sink at thy feet with my load:
 All plaintive I pour out my song,
 And stretch forth my hands unto God.

- 2 If sometimes I strive, as I mourn,
 My hold on thy promise to keep,
 The billows more fiercely return,
 And plunge me again in the deep:
 O'erwhelm'd and cast out from thy sight,
 - O'erwhelm'd and cast out from thy sign The tempter suggests in that hour, The Lord has forgotten me quite: My God will be gracious no more.
- 3 Shine, Lord, and my terrors shall cease: The blood of atonement apply; And lead me to Jesus for peace, The rock that is higher than I: Almighty to rescue thou art; Thy grace is my shield and my tow'r; O gladden my desolate heart, Let this be the day of thy pow'r.

219. Praise.

This God is the God we adore, Our faithful, unchangeable friend; Whose love is as large as his pow'r, And knows neither measure nor end; 'Tis Jesus, the first and the last, Whose Spirit shall guide us safe home, We'll praise him for all that is past, And trust him for all that's to come.





220. Exortation to Sinners.

1 Sinners, will you scorn the message Coming from the courts above? Mercy beams in ev'ry passage; Ev'ry line is full of love: O receive it! Ev'ry line is full of love. 2 Now the heralds of salvation,
Joyful news aloud proclaim:
Sinners freed from condemnation,
Through the all-atoning Lamb!
Life receiving,
Through the all-atoning Lamb!



221. Prayer for Salvation.

- 1 Lord of mercy and of might, Of mankind, the life and light, Maker, Teacher, infinite; Jesus, hear and save!
- 2 Great Creator, Saviour mild, Humbled to a mortal child, Captive, beaten, bound, revil'd, Jesus, hear and save!
- 2 Lamb of God, for sinners slain, Thou didst bear our grief and pain;

- Cleanse us now, from ev'ry stain; Jesus, hear and save !
- 4 Thron'd above celestial things, Eorne aloft on angels' wings, Lord of lords, and King of kings; Jesus, hear and save!
- 5 Soon descend to earth again, Judge of angels and of men, Hear us now, and hear us then; Jesus, hear and save!





222. Christ's Reign.

- Wake the song of jubilee; Let it echo o'er the sea, Let it sound from shore to shore, Jesus reigns for evermore.
- 2 Now the desert lands rejoice, And the islands join their voice; Now the whole creation sings, Jeaus is the King of kings!

223. Light Divine.

- 1 Light Divine, Immanuel! Evermore within me dwell: Now arise and cheer my soul; Make the wounded spirit whole.
- 2 Light Divine, my Saviour, God! Seal my pardon with thy blood; All my load of guilt remove; Fill me with thy boundless love.

HINTS TO LAYMEN, AND TO THE CLERGY.

1. The tunes of this volume admit of some variety of style, as to the manner of expressing different subjects, with the same melody. Generally speaking, however, the movement should be more rapid and chantant, than would be required in psalmody. The Air is so arranged as to be sung either with tenor or treble voices: but the SECOND TREBLE, does not admit of the same license.

2. Some few of the tunes, such as Chester, p. 17, Invitation, p. 43, Return, O Wanderer, p. 51, being intended only for a single voice, should seldom be given to a full choir or congrega-

tion.

3. A small number of tunes, such as Watchman tell us, p. 72, Response, p. 106, Gospel Banner, p. 116, as they have the best effect in dialogue, should not be given out in public meetings, without consulting the person who leads the singing.

4. Such pieces as Brightness of Glory, p. 58, The Lord is my Shepherd, p. 100, and a few others, are of a character too deleate for ordinary occasions; and are properly classed with such pieces as Elliot, p. 85, and Evening Song, p. 86, to be sung in

family worship.

5. Another class of tunes may be mentioned, such as Zion, p. 16, Salem, p. 28, Light of those, p. 36, Believer's Joy, p. 38, The Warning, p. 40, Missionary Hymn, p. 44, Conflict, p. 52, Geneva, p. 60, There is a Harp, p. 64, Sweet was the Time, p. 66, The Promises, p. 74, Happy Soul, p. 76, Moravian Hymn, p. 79, Rock of Ages, p. 84, Convocation, p. 92, My Faith looks up to Thee, p. 94, Brainard, p. 96, Advent, p. 98, Prospect, p. 102, Norfolk, p. 110, While Life Prolongs, p. 112, To-Day the Saviour Calls, p. 114, Return, p. 120, Adoration, p. 122, The Alarm, p. 132, Mission Song, p. 136, The Judgement Seat, p. 138, Will you seorn the Message, p. 148, and Wake the Song, p. 150. Though the tunes of this class, like most of the others, are intended for seasons of private worship, or familiar circles of prayer, they may yet occasionally be sung by a full orchestra, during public worship, on the Sabbath, or on other occasions of

religious interest, especially when the words have been rendered

familiar to the congregation.

6. The clergyman should seldom read two hymns of a peculiar metre from the same page of this work, during a single religious meeting, as this would generally require two successive performances of the same tune. This rule applies rigidly to peculiar metres.

7. It is scarcely to be presumed, that any company of singers would always be prepared to perform every tune in the volume that a clergyman might choose to select. A regular list should therefore be furnished him; or the tunes committed to memory

may be marked in the margin with a pencil.

8. The compilers would respectfully suggest, whether the practice of committing devotional hymns to memory, that prevails in some denominations, ought not to be more extensively adopted. This would greatly facilitate the performance of such hymns, and heighten the general interest in their character.

9. Is it necessary that such an endless variety of hymns should be selected, as is often the practice? Hymns with which we are familiarly acquainted, and with which we are particularly pleased, have been found, in general, to produce the strongest effect upon our devotions. The simple, didactic or descriptive too, is better to be read than to be sung. And, on the other hand, a small number of general subjects, it is believed, may be found appropriate to a great variety of sermons or occasions. psalm, for example, might be well adapted, so far as the subject is concerned, to a whole series of sermons on the nature and duty of repentance, embracing the obligations and motives; or to a similar series on the subject of forgiveness; or to a series which should be calculated to expose any particular sins, or any causes of lukewarmness, or backsliding, or impenitence. But to seek for hymns which should enter into all the leading particulars of a didactic or argumentative discourse on these subjects, would be to seek for skeletons in rhyme, which could never be sung to any devotional purpose. If this fact were more generally understood, it would lead in time to the exclusion of a multitude of unpoetic effusions from the current hymn books: and this, as we fully believe, to the great improvement of devotional singing.

10. The practice of lining the psalm, as it is called, would nearly destroy the effect of these simple melodics. The practice is a great injury to psalmody, under any circumstances; but here it would be peculiarly detrimental to the interests of

devotion. Ought not a practice which seems to have originate in the want of books, and the ignorance of letters, to be aban-

doned, in such an age of improvement as our own?

11. In reference to the matters above mentioned, the clergyman, if not himself a singer, would do well to consult with the persons who have this portion of the religious exercises more particularly in charge. A few moments consultation, previous to a meeting, would often richly repay the effort, in the devotional influences of song, when the singers themselves are spiritual.

12. The influence of clergymen at private rehearsals, and at schools, would be of great use. The voice of prayer and occasional exhortation, should be heard at such places. The Lord is beginning to bless singing schools that are religiously conducted: and ought not the watchmen to recognize this fact among the interesting signs of the times? Clergymen are prone to neglect this subject: and too often they occasion, without, perhaps, intending it, great discouragement to the singers, with their congregations. A little attention to this subject, on right principles, would not be in vain, though a pastor should really have no talent for music.

13. In past ages, devotional singing was almost universal in Christian families. Why is it now so extensively neglected? Have the apostolic precepts and examples on this subject, no longer any binding influence upon us? Few families would be found destitute of talent, when these were habitually obeyed.



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